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# CATALOGUE

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**BEACH & CO.,**

**Rose Growers**

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**FLORISTS,**

**901 South 9th Street,**

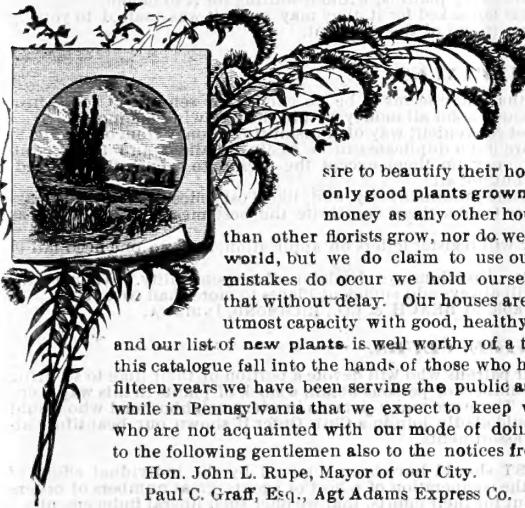
**RICHMOND INDIANA.**

NEW TEA ROSE  
“SUNSET”  
GIVEN AWAY.



We will give this beautiful new rose, as a premium on all orders for \$2 25 (for description see 4th page of catalogue. This new rose has been so thoroughly advertised that we need not comment here upon its merits, for it is indeed one of the finest roses in cultivation, and we feel sure all of our customers will want one.

# To Our Friends.



IT is with pleasure that we present you with our Catalogue for 1885, and we trust its pages may contain something of interest for each and every one into whose hands it may fall, and while we have no "sermon to preach," yet we trust the recipients of this Catalogue may all find something in its pages which they may desire to beautify their homes. While we do not claim that ours are the only good plants grown, yet we do claim to send as good plants for the money as any other house. We do not claim to give away more plants than other florists grow, nor do we claim the greatest amount of glass houses in the world, but we do claim to use our customers honestly and uprightly, and if any mistakes do occur we hold ourselves ready and willing to rectify the same, and that without delay. Our houses are all new and filled at the present writing to their utmost capacity with good, healthy stock. Our Roses this season are unusually fine, and our list of new plants is well worthy of a trial by all lovers of the beautiful flowers. Should this catalogue fall into the hands of those who have had no dealings with us, we will say, that for fifteen years we have been serving the public as commercial florists, and we earned a reputation while in Pennsylvania that we expect to keep with us in our new place of business. To those who are not acquainted with our mode of doing business, we would refer them, by permission, to the following gentlemen also to the notices from the press on third page of cover:

Hon. John L. Rupe, Mayor of our City.

C. W. Furgurson, Esq., Cashier 1st Nat. Bank.

Paul C. Graff, Esq., Agt Adams Express Co.

Fred. Maag, Esq., Prop. Daily Independent.

Very truly yours,

Beach & Co.

## HOW TO ORDER.

Please follow carefully the directions we give below for making out orders; it will prevent confusion, save us much valuable time and insure your obtaining the plants sent for.

**USE OUR ORDER SHEET**—In ordering, please use the convenient order sheet which accompanies each Catalogue; observe all the blanks and fill them carefully, especially those which give your address, and state in what way the plants are to be forwarded. If it is necessary to write a letter in addition, let it be on a separate sheet; mistakes are much more liable to occur when the order is mixed in with the letter.

**SELECTION OF VARIETIES**—We will adhere closely to the selections made by the purchaser, and can usually furnish all the varieties we advertise, but we grow such a vast number of kinds that in spite of our efforts the stock of some one kind will occasionally become exhausted. To provide for such an emergency, we request that an **ADDITIONAL PLANT OR TWO** be named at the end of the order, from which we may select. This list will not be used except in case of necessity, but we advise it particularly, as it often saves us much trouble and annoyance.

**GIVE YOUR FULL ADDRESS**—Please be careful to write your full address *plainly*, and always sign your name the same way: do not write at one time as Mrs. *William* Brown, and at another as Mrs. *Mary* Brown. We can but guess that these two names belong to the same person.

**ORDERS FOR LESS THAN ONE DOLLAR** will not be filled unless **FIFTEEN CENTS ADDITIONAL** to the price of the plants be sent to pay postage. It is quite as much trouble to handle, and requires nearly as much postage to mail a fifty cent order as it does for two or three dollars' worth of plants.

**ALL ORDERS**, whether large or small, receive from us the same uniformly prompt and careful attention; we fill all in the order of their reception, and, unless greatly rushed, send off the plants the day after we receive the order.

**ORDERS LOST OR STOLEN**—Sometimes it happens that orders never reach us. When customers fail to receive their plants within a reasonable time, they should inform us of the fact, and at the same time send a duplicate of their order.

**THE DIFFERENCE** in receiving plants and bulbs by mail or express is simply this: When they are sent by mail from our establishment the soil is carefully **Washed** (not shaken) from the roots, and the roots wrapped in damp sphagnum and properly packed. If sent by express the most of the soil is left on the roots, and they are wrapped in paper, after which they are packed and shipped in light boxes or baskets, according to the season. If sent by mail, we pay the postage.

**EXPRESSAGE PAID**.—We will prepay the express charges on orders amounting to Ten Dollars and over, to and between the following points: As far West as St. Louis, as far North as Detroit and Chicago, as far East as Cleveland and Pittsburgh, as far South as Louisville. If, for instance, we receive an order from Sedalia, Mo., for ten dollars, we pay the express charges to St. Louis. We think this should be a sufficient inducement to our patrons to have, as far as possible, all large orders sent by express. While our mailing department is complete in every respect, it is much better to have large orders sent by express. We have the Adams and U. S. Express Companies in our city.

**COMPLIMENTARY LETTERS**.—It is a source of much pleasure to receive kind words from our patrons, and while we are not always permitted to answer all such, yet we are greatly thankful to all for their many kind words.

**SAFE ARRIVAL GUARANTEED.**—We guarantee the safe arrival of all plants sent out, provided the requirements printed on each package is strictly complied with.

**MAILING BOXES.**—All plants sent by mail are packed in strong wooden boxes, tightly wrapped in frost-proof paper. We find this box far better than anything we have used heretofore.

**ALL PLANTS LABELED.**—We put soft paper labels on all plants sent out, so that every plant carries its name, and customers know at a glance what each and every plant is, without waiting for it to bloom.

**\* SHOULD** any one receive this Catalogue who has not asked for it, they may know it was mailed to you by request of one of our patrons who is probably a warm friend of the recipient.

### REMITTANCES.

Money can now be secured at such a slight cost that there seems to be no excuse for sending it loose in a letter, but many continue to do so. We will be responsible for all money sent in the following manner:

**POST OFFICE ORDERS.**—The safest and most convenient way of transmitting money from one point to another is by means of Post Office Orders; if these are lost a duplicate can be easily obtained, and there is no danger of their being stolen, for no one can obtain money on them except the person to whom they are addressed. They can be obtained at most post offices, but not all.

**BANK DRAFTS.**—These should be drawn on some prominent city, and, like Post Office Orders, made payable to the order of Beach & Co. Next to P. O. Money Orders these constitute the best means of exchange, as they can be duplicated if lost or stolen.

**REGISTERED LETTERS.**—Every postmaster will register letters on application, and no one need fail to secure their money in this manner at least.

When remittances are not made according to these directions, we disclaim all responsibility. When remittances are made by any of the above methods, we will always add sufficient Plants to more than cover cost.

Address all orders and make all remittances payable to BEACH & CO., RICHMOND, INDIANA.

### ORGANIZE CLUBS.

We offer very liberal inducements to those of our patrons who will devote a portion of their time to securing orders for us among their friends and neighbors. Numbers of persons obtain a stock of plants in this way every year, without any expense to themselves whatever. There are many persons in every neighborhood who would never think of sending an order themselves, but would gladly join in a Club Order if shown our beautiful Catalogue, with its advantageous prices and unrivaled assortments.

**A CLUB ORDER** must amount to \$2 00.

**THE SEPARATE ORDERS IN A CLUB LIST** should have been obtained by the individual efforts of the Getter-up of a Club. It is in order to secure by the co-operation of a host of agents, great numbers of orders from persons who might not have ordered from us but for their efforts, that we offer such liberal inducements.

**TO INSURE THE SENDING OF THE EXTRA PLANTS** offered for Club Orders, each and every Club Order must be signed by the sender, with the words, "Getter-up of the Club" after the signature.

**THE AMOUNT OF MONEY SENT BY EACH MEMBER OF THE CLUB** should be distinctly stated so that its full value may be sent to each one.

**WE MAKE OUR ADVANTAGEOUS CLUB TERMS** for the benefit of our friends and customers who endeavor to obtain orders for us from their neighbors, and are not for individual orders, therefore they must contain the names of the parties ordering, with the Getter-up of the Club, and post office address.

**PACKING CLUB ORDERS.**—Each one will be tied separately; when small, two or more will be put in one package; but when of sufficient size a package will be used for each.

It will be understood that these additional plants go to the Getter-up of the Club, and not to each individual member; it, however, is our practice to make additions to each individual order where it reaches \$1 00 or over. Those forwarding club orders will please always state who is the one getting up the club, so we can arrange the premiums accordingly. Persons getting up clubs can select their own premiums.

**LIBERAL TERMS.**—We therefore offer the following liberal terms to such persons as are willing to act as our agents in obtaining orders; said orders to be in every instance at our regular Catalogue prices:

In all club orders, whether by mail or express, the full name of each person comprising the club must be given with their order—the plants will then be labeled to each—but all will be sent to the address of the one getting up the club.

### CLUB TERMS FOR PLANTS BY MAIL.

For a remittance of \$ 2 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to \$ 2 25.  
For a remittance of 3 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 3 50.  
For a remittance of 5 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 6 00.  
For a remittance of 8 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 10 00.  
For a remittance of 10 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 13 00.

### CLUB TERMS FOR PLANTS BY EXPRESS.

For a remittance of \$ 3 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to \$ 4 00.  
For a remittance of 5 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 6 75.  
For a remittance of 6 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 8 00.  
For a remittance of 12 00 you may select plants at Catalogue prices amounting to 15 00.

### PREMIUMS.

See our special offer, on second page of cover, of the new Tea Rose Sunset, offered as a premium for all orders for two dollars, and twenty-five cents and over. This does not include orders sent at club rates, only for orders sent at regular catalogue prices.

We make the following liberal offers of plants for premiums for the four largest orders received before June 1st, 1885. The plants shall be strong, fine, healthy plants, sent by express, charges paid, all of our own selection.

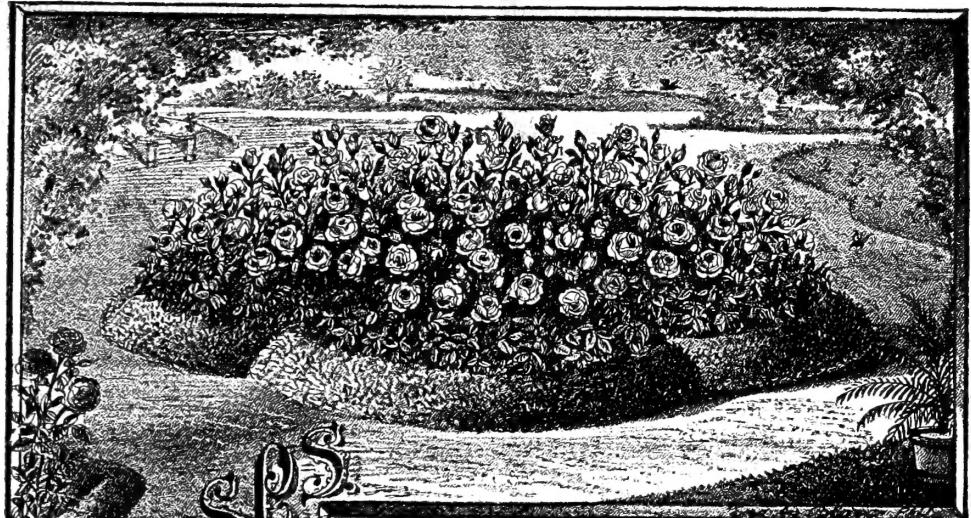
**FIRST PREMIUM**—100 plants in one hundred distinct sorts given for the largest order.

**SECOND PREMIUM**—75 plants in seventy-five distinct sorts, given for the second largest order.

**THIRD PREMIUM**—50 plants in fifty distinct sorts given for the third largest order.

**FOURTH PREMIUM**—25 plants in twenty-five distinct sorts, given for the fourth largest order.

**BOYS AND GIRLS**—To the boy or girl under sixteen years of age sending us the largest amount in club orders before May 20th, 1885, we will send a handsome gold watch as a premium. Now children go to work with a vim and see which boy or girl is going to get this beautiful watch. We shall send a warrantee for one year with watch. The name of the successful party will be published in our Catalogue for 1886.



In all the wide domain of Flora, the Rose stands pre-eminent--the beautiful Queen of Flowers. It possesses and unites in one charming whole all those features which singly characterize our other popular flowers; beauty and variety of form, rich colors and delicate tints, with the most delightful of perfumes. It is withal adapted to such a wide range of climate--from the sunny South, where the Ever-Blooming Teas delight the eye with a never-easing display of delicately-tinted and perfumed blossoms, to the North, where each returning season brings a glorious burst of deep and richly-colored blooms, with their powerful and delicious odor. Since the history of flowers began, the Rose held the place of honor among its beautiful companions, and will continue to reign so long as Summers come and go. The sight of a perfect Rose always awakens the purest and most refined feelings in the human breast--missionary of beauty and refinement wherever it is found.

**CULTURAL DIRECTIONS FOR THE ROSE.**—The General Cultural Directions apply to the Rose, but we give below additional hints, and if our advice is carefully followed, success is certain, and the purchaser will be gratified with beautiful Roses all Summer through. Of all the care which is given plants, that is the most important which is

bestowed on them in the start, and while they are becoming established. Consequently particular attention

should be given the Rose at this critical period.

**WHAT ROSES TO PLANT.**—This depends entirely on the climate and taste of the grower. Almost every person will want some of the Ever-Bloomers or Teas, Chinas, Bourbons, Noisettes, and Hybrid Teas. These flower as they grow, and if kept constantly growing, will always be in bloom. They are perfectly hardy in the South, and in some of the Gulf States produce flowers in every month of the year. They are tender north of the Ohio river, however, and need some protection in the Winter. For the North, there is no Rose better than the Hybrid Perpetual, as they are perfectly hardy, standing our Winter without protection, and in June are literally covered with large, richly-colored flowers, and many of the varieties now advertised bloom quite freely during the Summer, if well cultivated.

Every Rose garden will of course include some of each of these classes. In the South, Hybrid Perpetuals will be grown that their scarlet and crimson flowers may serve as a contrast to more fully display the delicate shades and tints of the Teas, and at the North we cannot afford to forego the pleasure of having a constant succession of beautiful roses, merely because the plants which produce them are tender. They are so cheap that even if the plants were lost each Winter, the loss would be no greater than that on ordinary bedding plants, while they can be protected with little trouble, as we will show.

**PROTECTION.**—The beautiful Ever-Blooming Roses are unfortunately too tender to stand our Northern Winters unprotected. This is easily afforded by filling up the earth, or by strewing leaves or straw lightly over the plants, and securing them with Evergreen branches; or stake the plant, and then place straw upright around it and bind it securely.

When convenient, the Rose buds may be nicely covered four or six inches deep with forest leaves, held in place by Evergreen boughs or brush of any kind laid loosely on and around the plants. Coal ashes also makes an excellent covering. It should be placed all over the bed six or twelve inches deep. When these are not at hand, road or street scrapings, or even ordinary earth, may be used. If stable manure is used, care should be exercised that it is not put on thick enough to ferment or heat.

Roses may be cut back severely and potted in pots just large enough to hold the roots. They will winter nicely in any light, dry cellar. Water sparingly, just enough to keep the roots from dying, increasing gradually, as the days become longer and warmer in the Spring.

**PRUNING.**—The first year after planting it will only be necessary to keep the dead branches removed. Trim your plants in early Spring before they start into growth. Hybrid Perpetuals grown in beds or masses

need only have their branches shortened to the highest strong bud, unless the branches are so long as to hang over, when they should be trimmed more closely, and any shoots which destroy the even balance of the plants should be cut out. Teas and other Ever-Bloomers grown in the same manner may be trimmed quite severely, removing entirely any weak branches, and trimming back well the stronger ones. With isolated specimens, select a leading shoot and leave it untouched, while all the other branches are pruned to within three or four eyes of the base.

**ROSES IN POTS.**—The Tea, China, and Bourbon Roses, should be selected for growing in pots in the house. Use soil and pot according to General Directions. Water thoroughly and frequently, during warm Summer weather, but in Fall and Winter be careful, and do not allow the soil to become sour on account of too much moisture. Pinch off all buds as they appear during the Summer, but when Winter arrives give all the sunlight possible. Sponge or sprinkle the leaves frequently to prevent *Red Spider*; in short, use every effort to keep the plants growing, as that is the secret of getting all plants to bloom.

## NEW AND SCARCE ROSES.

### TEAS.

**L'Elegant**—Of medium size, good full shape, color vivid rose, center yellow, shaded and striped white, very free bloomer; 50 cents.

**Princess of Wales**—Moderately vigorous, flowers large and of perfect form, the outside petals rosy yellow, the center rich deep golden yellow, the color being exceedingly chaste and very waxy in appearance, opens well, buds very long and pointed; 35 cents.

**Mad. Chedane Guinoisseau**—A beautiful Rose. Bud long and well formed, color clear lemon yellow; 25 cents.

**Edith Gifford**—Very large, full, fine shape, color fleshy white, center slightly tinged with yellow and salmon pink; an abundant bloomer, very fine; 35 cents.

**Mad. Redmond**—Medium size, handsome form, color yellowish white, center darker, very fragrant and very fine; an excellent variety for forcing; 25 cents.

**Jeanne Abel**—Medium size, color light pink, center shaded to deep rose; 35 cents.

**Baron de St. Triviers**—Vigorous habit, wood not very thorny, flowers very large, semi-double and of fine form, color a delicate flesh rose, it is a fine Winter bloomer; 35 cents.

**Louise de la Rive**—Habit vigorous, flowers large, double and of fine form, imbricated, color a beautiful flesh white, inclining to rose in the center; a magnificent variety, one of the most beautiful of its class, blooms constantly during the Winter; 40 cents.



"Sunset" Rose.

### NEW TEA ROSE, "SUNSET."

The new Tea Rose, "Sunset," is certain to lead the fashion in Roses this Winter. It has a combination of all the best qualities: delicious tea fragrance, large size, perfect form, and its color, which combines the richest shades of saffron and orange, is entirely distinct from that of any other Rose. It has just received a first-class certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society of England—a testimonial never given unless to Roses of the first class. Our plants of this beautiful Rose are in the very best condition to produce buds for this Winter, being in health and vigor.

See our special offer of this beautiful new Rose *given away*, second page of cover. For all orders for \$2.25 at Catalogue prices; price of Rose, 75 cents each.

### HYBRID PERPETUALS.

**Alexander Dupont**—Very large, fine shape, color purplish red shaded crimson, fine, free bloomer; 40cts.

**Earl of Pembroke**—A vigorous grower, color very soft,

velvety crimson, enlivened on the margin of the petals with bright red, quite distinct and good for all purposes; 25 cents.

**Ernest Prince**—Very vigorous, flowers very large, color light red, deeper in the center; 25 cents.

**Francois Olin**—Vigorous, flowers large, full and well formed, color cerise; 40 cents.

**Heinrich Schultheis**—Very vigorous, flowers exceedingly large, of first rate form and very full, color very delicate pinkish rose, a great improvement in this shade, very sweet scented, thoroughly perpetual, a grand show Rose; 35 cents.

**Marie Lagrange**—Large, sometimes very large, color purplish crimson, fine bloomer; 35 cents.

**Mad. Bianchi**—Globular and imbricated, of good form and bearing; very fragrant, light, rosy lilac, much brighter at the center, silvery white on the reverse; being a seedling from "Victor Verdier;" 35 cents.

**Mad. Ampere**—Flowers large and fine, color rich crimson, shaded purple; 35 cents.

**Mad. Rambaud**—Dark, heavy foliage, strong grower, of the "Victor Verdier" type, blooms when expanded larger than variety named, and of a lighter shade of crimson; 35 cents.

**Souvenir de Madame Berthier**—Very vigorous, flowers very large, full and of fine form, color beautiful bright red, seedling from "Victor Verdier;" 25 cts.

**Ulrich Brunner**—Vigorous, flowers large and full with large petals, color, cerise, seedling from "Paul Neron;" 25 cents.

### NEW YELLOW POLYANTHA ROSE.

**Perle d' Or**—This is a new and striking Rose, similar in character and habit of growth to Anna Marie de Montraville. The flowers, however, are larger, and if possible produced in still greater numbers than those of that valuable variety, but the great difference lies in the color, which is a beautiful nankeen yellow with vivid orange center; the petals are slightly imbricated and overlap each other, giving the flower a very double appearance. We regard this as one of the most distinct and valuable novelties introduced for many years; 75 cents each.

## General Collection of Ever-Blooming Roses.

### ONE DIME

WILL buy any of the Roses mentioned in this list, unless otherwise noted. Should we, at any time be out of Roses ordered at ten cents each, we will supply their places from our higher priced sorts, putting them in at the same price, ten cents each.

Those priced at 15 cents, we will send of your selection, eight for \$1; those at 20 cents, six for \$1; those at 25 cents, five for \$1; those at 35 cents, three for \$1.

—SPECIAL OFFER—12 OF THESE ROSES, OUR SELECTION, FOR \$1.00.—

When selections are left to us, we give 12 for \$1.00, all of them prominent and popular sorts; or for \$1.10, 13 roses, our selection.

**Adam**—A lovely Rose, bright fresh carmine pink, extra size, very double and full.

**Aline Sisley**—A splendid variety; flower is large, very full and double, color a rare shade of violet red.

**Anna Oliver**—Very large, full form, very double, color lovely creamy blush, shaded with deep carmine.

**Arch Duchesse Isabella**—Large, full form, perfectly double; delightfully fragrant; white, shaded with rosy carmine, changing to amaranth, makes lovely buds.

**Baron Alexandre de Vrints**—Delicate rose, with lines of red and white; flowers of medium size, perfectly formed and borne in clusters of five or six, very free and vigorous.

**Bon Silene**—Noted for the great size and beauty of its buds, color deep rose. Planted in the garden it is invaluable for cutting, its color forms such a pleasing contrast to the lighter varieties.

**Catherine Mermet**—A very bright, rosy flesh color, makes beautiful buds. Flower large, full, finely formed, vigorous habit, one of the most perfect Teas in cultivation. See cut.

**Clement Nabonnand**—A strong grower and blooms freely. The flower is not very double, cream shaded lilac.

**Comtesse de Casserta**—Flowers large with thick petals, not very double, but yielding fine buds of a bright copper red passing to magenta, buds long.

**Comtesse Riza du Parc**—The flowers of large size, very double, full and sweet; color bright coppery rose, tinged and shaded with soft violet crimson.

**Comtesse de Labarthe**—Few roses equal this in freedom of flowering, none surpass it in either fragrance or vigor. The flowers are richly and peculiarly colored. Rose, heavily shaded with amber and salmon.

**Charles Rovelli**—Large, fine flower, very full and fragrant, color a lovely shade of carmine changing to silver rose.

**Cornelia Cook**—Unquestionably the largest and most perfectly formed Tea Rose grown. Pure white, sometimes tinged with lemon.

**Duchess of Edinburg**—In growth strong and vigorous, though of dwarf habit, producing a profusion of dark, velvet crimson flowers; when in bud it is very beautiful in form, while the color more nearly re-



Catherine Mermet.

semblies the renowned Gen. Jacqueminot than any Ever-Blooming Rose known to us.

**Etoile de Lyon**—In color a brilliant sulphur yellow, very large and full, of handsome form and very fragrant; 15 cents.

**Gen. de Tarts**—A first-class Rose for bedding, brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet purple, large size, very double, full and fragrant.

**Isabella Sprint**—Creamy yellow, beautiful buds, very sweet, promise bloomer.

**Jean Pernet**—Beautiful pale yellow, large, very full and double, tea scented, a splendid Rose.



## Roses—Continued.

**Jean Ducher**—Noted for its rich and peculiar coloring; dark yellow, heavily shaded with peach, double.

**Jules Finger**—A charming Rose, flowers full and finely formed, color bright rosy scarlet, beautifully shaded with intense crimson; very fragrant, a vigorous grower and free bloomer.

**La Princess Vera**—A vigorous Rose, flowers very large and full, perfectly double. Color creamy white; outer petals copper yellow. It produces large pointed buds, resembling those of Marie Guillot in shape, but larger. Is especially fine for Summer and Autumn bloom.

**Letty Coles**—A splendid Rose, one of the finest varieties recently introduced, full globular form, very sweet, color soft rosy pink with carmine center; 20c.

**Louis Richard**—Very double, delicious tea scent, color rich coppery rose changing to buff.

**Mad. Bernard**—A grand Rose, large, full form, very double and exceedingly sweet, color fine apricot yellow, sometimes golden yellow, faintly tinged with blush.

**Mad. Bravy**—Rich creamy white, with blush centre, perfect form, large and very sweet.

**Mad. Brest**—Large buds of bright rosy red, expanding to beautiful double flowers of a delicate shade of pink, a free grower of handsome shape and easy of cultivation.

**Mad. Cecil Berthod**—A grand Rose, extra large size, deep clear yellow, good full form, very double and sweet, tea scented, one of the finest.

**Mad. Damazine**—Beautiful salmon rose changing to amaranth and bright pink, large, very double.

**Mad. Falcot**—Fine apricot yellow, with beautiful orange buds, much valued for bouquets, tea scented, a constant bloomer, of medium size and fulness.

**Mad. H. Jamain**—A splendid variety, large and very double, fine cup form, white, with yellow center, shaded with pink, tea fragrance.

**Mad'le Lazarine Poizeau**—Deep orange yellow, a very rare and remarkable color, medium size.

**Mad. Margotin**—This is a grand Rose, always a favorite, very large, double flowers highly perfumed, color, beautiful dark citron yellow, with bright red center, a strong grower and quite hardy.

**Mad. Welch**—Vigorous and erect in habit, branching regularly, with large, handsome foliage, flowers are very large and double, well formed, color soft apricot yellow with dark orange center, sometimes shaded with copper red, a free and continuous bloomer. See cut.

**Mad. Lambard**—Center purplish rose, outer petals orange, shaded with rose, variable but always handsome, flowers very large and double, of excellent form.

**Mad. Joseph Schwartz**—Color, white flushed with light pink, blooms in clusters, the flowers being of medium size and well formed. The Rose is new and classed by most among their novelties. Being desirous that our friends should have the opportunity of availing themselves of this very desirable variety, we have placed it, as well as many other new Roses, at a low price; 15 cents.



Perle des Jardins.

**Roses—Continued.**

**Mlle Rachel**—A lovely Tea Rose, pure snow white, very double, deliciously scented, makes beautiful buds, is an elegant Rose for either house culture or open ground.

**Marcelin Roda**—A splendid Rose, of fine form, very full and double and exceedingly sweet. Color pale lemon yellow, deepening towards center to golden yellow. Lovely buds and flowers.

**Marechal Robert**—A splendid Rose, large, full globular form, very fragrant. Color pure white, faintly tinged with carmine.

**Marie Guillot**—A splendid Rose, first class in every respect, color pure white, shaded at center with golden yellow, extra large size, full and double, very sweet tea scent. See cut.

**Marie Van Houtte**—Light yellow, with a distinct and beautiful line of pink along the edges of the petals. The effect of this coloring is charming. Blooms freely and grows vigorously.

**Marie Sisley**—An elegant Rose, full and double, delicious tea scent, color an excellent shade of pale yellow, broadly margined with bright rose.

**Niphetus**—An elegant Tea Rose, very large and double, deliciously sweet, color pure snow white, highly valued for its lovely buds, which are very large and pointed, and borne on long stems.

**Perle des Jardins**—Canary yellow, often golden yellow, of the most beautiful form and very large. The buds are very handsome. It is a strong grower, and



Marie Guillot.

**DON'T FAIL TO TRY AT LEAST A FEW OF OUR NEW PLANTS.**



## Roses—Continued.

## Queen of Bedders.

the foliage alone is handsome enough to make it a favorite. It supplies the place among dwarf roses that Marechal Niel occupies as a climber. Undoubtedly the finest yellow Rose in cultivation. See cut.

**Rosa Flora**—Bright carmine to rosy blush, fine form, large, very double and full.

**Rubens**—Lovely pale yellow slightly tinged with fawn, very sweet, full, large, fine form and very desirable.

**Safrano**—Bright apricot, changing to salmon and fawn, beautiful, orange buds, a constant and profuse bloomer, used largely in bouquets, baskets and all kinds of flower work, the leading Rose of its color.

**Sombreuil**—Pure white, edged and tinged with silvery rose, very sweet, large and double.

**Souv. de George Sand**—Very vigorous, flowers large and perfect in form, color salmon rose, with reverse of petals shaded amaranth. Very fragrant.

**Souv. de Mad. Pernet**—An elegant Rose, flowers large and finely formed, very double and sweet, color soft rosy crimson, tinged and shaded with clear yellow, distinct and very desirable.

**Souv. D'Elise Varden**—This is a lovely Rose, entirely distinct, elegant cupped form, very double and full, exceedingly fragrant, color creamy white, delicately shaded with pink, petals frequently edged with a broad margin of bright rose, produces beautiful effect

**Souv. de Marie Detry**—An elegant Rose, large size, full regular form, very double and sweet, color pure white, beautifully flushed and tinted with soft rosy crimson, makes lovely buds.

**Souv. d'un Ami**—Fine delicate rose shaded with salmon, very large, full and double fragrant, a vigorous grower and free bloomer, a very popular Rose, should be in every collection.

**Sulphurea**—Clear sulphur yellow, pointed buds.

**Vicomtesse de Cazes**—Reddish gold with coppery yellow center, very large, full and double, delicious tea scent, particularly distinguished for its delicious perfume.

## EVER-BLOOMING CLIMBERS.

Ten cents each except where noted.

**Celine Forestier**—Color, deep, rich canary yellow, flowers well formed, fragrant.

**Chromatella, or Cloth of Gold**—A variety always in demand, but being difficult to propagate, stock of it is usually scarce, deep yellow center with sulphur edges, large full flowers, a grand Rose; 15 cents.

**Clare Carnot**—Buff or orange yellow, with peach center, medium size, full and compact flower, delightful tea scent. Very pretty and desirable.

**Gloire de Dijon**—A magnificent old Rose, one of the finest in every respect; large, perfectly double and tea scented, color rich, creamy yellow, shaded with amber.

**James Sprunt**—Deep cherry red, very pretty and distinctive, desirable as a climbing or pillar Rose, very profuse bloomer, a sport from Agrippina.

**La Marque**—Pale canary yellow, changing to French white, a good bloomer.

**Mad. Caroline Kuster**—Beautiful orange yellow, clear and distinct, fine, full form, large and very double, highly scented, very desirable.

**Marechal Niel**—One of the largest and most beautiful roses grown, flowers extra large, very double and deliciously perfumed, deep golden yellow buds of immense size; 25 cents.

**Reine Emma des Pays-Bas**—Large, full, of perfect imbricated form, color gold shaded with salmon. Of rare beauty.

**Reine Marie Pia**—Shading from rose to crimson in the center, flowers large and full, plant robust, a seedling from "Gloire de Dijon," very beautiful.

**Reine Marie Henriette**—A Gloire de Dijon, with red flowers, a vigorous climbing Rose, with stout, green wood, firm and a little thorny, foliage deep green, flowers large, full and well formed. This is justly considered the best of the deep colored roses in this class.

## BOURBONS.

This class was introduced to commerce in the early part of this century, and is the most hardy of the ever-blooming section. In sections this side of the Ohio river it is safest to give them some protection in winter, although they are usually hardy south of central Illinois. The plants are of stronger growth than the Teas, and the flowers larger and more double. They are always in bloom and are especially beautiful in the Fall.

Price, 10 cents each. Other terms same as for Tea Roses.

**Alfred Aubert**—A vigorous grower and profuse bloomer, flowers as well shaped as "Hermosa," of a bright red color.

**Appoline**—A large, fine Rose, of excellent form and good habit, full and sweet, delicate pink, changing to clear rose.

**Emperor of Russia**—Large, fine form, full and double, color a bright scarlet, shaded and dashed with crimson, fragrant, a splendid Rose.

**Hermosa**—A grand Rose, and one which no one can afford to be without. It is one of the oldest of this class, has always been in great demand, and will continue so as long as roses are bought and sold. The flower is cupped, finely formed and full, always in bloom, soft, deep shade of pink, fragrant.

**Mad. Bosanquet**—A fine old variety, much esteemed, pale flesh shaded with rose, very sweet.

**Mad. Isaac Pereire**—Beautiful vivid carmine, of immense size, perfect imbricated form, blooming all the season, growth vigorous, first-class variety.

**Perle D'Angers**—Plant vigorous, flowers very large, glossy flesh white, very delicate, a magnificent Rose; 15 cents.

**Queen of Bedders**—The most useful Rose of recent introduction. It is a good grower, branching freely.

## HYBRID TEA ROSES.

A new class, raised by crossing the Tea with Hybrid Perpetual Roses, and vice versa, combining the hardiness of the one with the ever-blooming qualities of the other. They have all of the Fall blooming qualities of the monthly Roses, and are considered hardy, but we recommend a good protection when planted North of the Ohio River, as they will make stronger and healthier plants.

**Antoine Verdier**—A beautiful variety. Flowers bright silvery rose, shaded and tinged with a very rich carmine; large, very full and well expanded. A very free bloomer; 25 cents.

**Beauty of Stapleford**—Deep rosy red; center dark purplish rose, large, double and handsomely formed. A richly colored and beautiful flower; 50 cents.

**Duchess of Connaught**—Has a poor habit but an exquisitely beautiful flower. Silvery rose; large and of very handsome form; 50 cents.

**Hon. George Bancroft**—Large double flowers of a bright rose color, almost clear red; 50 cents.

**La France**—One of the most beautiful of all Roses, and is unequalled by any in its delicious fragrance; very large, double and superbly formed, color light, silvery rose, shaded with silvery peach, and often with pink. It flowers continuously throughout the season, and is perfectly hardy; 25 cents.

**Madame Alex. Bernaix**—Of the same type as La France, and like it blooms continuously through the season; color rich, glossy rose, large, full and finely formed; 30 cents.

**Michael Saunders**—One of the most valuable of Bennett's set, bearing all through the Summer a constant succession of finely formed flowers, with beautifully reflexed petals. Very large and double, of a shade difficult to describe, between a deep rose and light crimson; very pleasing, vigorous grower. A splendid acquisition; 35 cents.

but of dwarf habit, seldom reaching a height of more than eighteen inches. Every branch terminates with a cluster of buds; these when fully open are very double, of a rich-dark crimson velvet color. We consider it one of the best crimson bedders, it is a Rose that will give satisfaction to all; 15 cents. See cut.

**Souv. de la Malmaison**—In the Fall the buds and flowers of this are grand beyond description. It is an old Rose, and one of which the rosarian never tires, color flesh white, clear and distinct; beautiful.

## CHINA OR BENGAL.

This class is valuable for massing on account of their great freedom of bloom, high colors and dwarf habit of growth. The flowers are not as large as those of the Bourbons, but are very profuse.

**Agrippina**—Brilliant fiery red, good size and form, very double, full and sweet, a profuse bloomer.

**Beau Carmine**—A splendid Rose for bedding, fine carmine red, very rich, velvety color, flowers large, full and double, constant and profuse bloomer, fragrant and desirable.

**Cramois Superior**—Medium size, rich, dark velvety crimson, very double, full and beautiful, compact growth; one of the best for bedding.

**Douglas**—Rich crimson, fine color and a good bloomer. **La Phoenix**—Fine brilliant red, shaded with dark crimson, good size flowers, full and double.

**Louis Philippe**—Rich, dark velvety crimson, profuse bloomer, good form and substance; fragrant.

**Lucullus**—Beautiful dark crimson maroon, large, full and fragrant, very double, a constant and profuse bloomer. Extra good for out-door culture.

**Nemesis**—Habit similar to Hermosa, splendid, full, double flower of dark velvety crimson, never out of bloom, especially fine for massing when rich dark colors are wanted.



Reine Marie Henriette.

**Reine Marie Henriette**—An extra fine climbing variety. Flowers very large, full and handsome, color a clear cherry red, a fine shade, scented, a Glorie de Dijon, with red flowers, color much sought after in climbing varieties; 35 cents.

**Viscountess de Falmonth**—A cross with a Moss Rose: rosy pink, very large, and beautifully formed, very fragrant, the growth resembles a Moss Rose; 50 cts.

## POLYANtha ROSES.



A delightfully unique class of Roses, of comparatively recent introduction. The original Polyantha Rose was a hardy Japanese species, with single flowers blooming in the Spring. Its seedlings, including the varieties described below, produce double flowers in great profusion from Spring until frost. They have a decidedly distinct growth, are extremely dwarf, with graceful branches and delicate foliage. The flowers are borne in branches elevated considerably above the foliage, and it is not unusual for one shoot to bear dozens of flowers. The variety *Mlle Cecile Bruner* is crossed with the *Tea Souv. d'un Ami*, and is more highly scented than the other kinds. **Price, 30 cents each.**

**Anna Marie de Montral**—Flowers are pure white and about an inch and a half in diameter; very double. **M'le Cecile Bruner**—A charming fairy-like variety, of sweet, delicate fragrance. Flowers very double, and perfect, size shown in the engraving, and borne in such clusters that the whole plant frequently seems

to be a mass of blossoms: blooms from Spring until frost; color salmon, heavily shaded with rose.

**Mignonette**—Flowers very small, less than an inch in diameter; color light rose. This superb variety is very floriferous.

## HYBRID PERPETUALS.

These differ greatly from the classes just described, for while beauty and elegance combine to render the latter so desirable, the strong, vigorous growth and grandeur of bloom make these indispensable. They are perfectly hardy in almost all parts of the country, there being but few varieties which will not winter well in this latitude. It is, however, a mistaken idea that they are adapted only to northern climates, as there are many of the freer blooming kinds that should be given space wherever the more tender Teas are cultivated, as the contrasts produced by their large, double, highly colored flowers are truly grand. They are also, most of them, very fragrant, and at some seasons of the year cut blooms of certain varieties in this class will bring higher prices than those of any other Rose that is grown for this purpose.

Take the free bloomers in this class, and there is nothing so grandly magnificent as the effect they produce in garden, hedge or lawn, giving equal satisfaction, and being as well adapted to the State of Texas as that of Indiana.

**Price, purchaser's selection, 15c. each; 8 for \$1.00.**

**Price, our selection, - - 10c. each; 10 for \$1.00.**

**Antoine Moulon**—Plant vigorous and hardy; an early and free bloomer, flowers of extraordinary size and fullness, very sweet, color bright glossy pink, reverse of petals silvery Rose.

**Brightness of Cheshunt**—Vivid brick red, medium sized flower of open, imbricated form, very free and fine autumnal bloomer; 25 cents.

**Camille Bernardin**—Deep red with crimson shade, large, full, free bloomer and fragrant.

**Captain Christy**—Delicate flesh colored rose, deeper in the center, a beautiful Rose, very free bloomer.

**Charles Duval**—Beautiful bright red, large, full, very dark and fragrant, blooms freely; an elegant and very desirable variety.

**Charles Lefebvre**—A noble Rose, large, bold flower, well borne up, very full and fragrant, brilliant crimson, centre deep purple; one of the best.

**Charles Darwin**—Rich brownish-crimson, perfectly round reflexed form. This is a new tint in color and is evidently of Bourbon blood in its origin, very free Autumn as well as Summer flowering.

**Comte Horace de Choiseul**—Color, vermillion lighted with velvety scarlet; large, full, imbricated form, vigorous grower; 25 cents.

**Countess of Rosebery**—Flowers brilliant carmine-rose, very large, full and finely cupped, a vigorous growing variety, blooming freely all through the Summer and Autumn.

**Coquette des Alps**—The finest white Hybrid Perpetual yet introduced, a profuse bloomer, flowers pure white, sometimes shaded with blush.



General Jacqueminot.

**Hybrid Perpetuals—Continued.**

**Countess of Oxford**—Carmine, shaded violet, velvety, flowers very large, full, cupped; a magnificent Rose.

**Climbing Jules Margottin**—A sport from Jules Margottin, flowers exactly similar to its parent, a free and vigorous climber, branching freely, grows from 8 to 10 feet in a season.

**Dean of Windsor**—Clear, rich vermillion, fine form, constant bloomer.

**Duke of Teck**—Bright crimson scarlet, clear and distinct in its vividness of color beyond anything else, a real march toward a scarlet Rose. Flower is large, very double.

**Dr. Hogg**—Deep violet, nearest to the blue color sometimes desired in roses, pretty shell-shaped petal, very vigorous and very hardy.

**Dr. Sewell**—A fine cupped flower, very double and full, fragrant, rich color rich crimson shaded with purple.

**Emilia Plantier**—This Rose is a very vigorous grower, producing an abundance of flowers of a coppery yellow color, changing to yellowish-white, medium

size and of fine form. It is especially valuable as an autumnal bloomer.

**E. V. Teas**—Color dazzling red, large, globular and double. In England it is esteemed the best of its color. This Rose undoubtedly has a great future before it; 20 cents.

**Fontenelle**—Large flowers of a rich, dark velvety crimson, borne in clusters well above the foliage. A new Rose, and one of the best of this color sent out for many years.

**Francois Levet**—Extra fine, very fragrant, strong grower, color beautiful rose.

**Gabriel Tournier**—Dark rose, large, full, and of fine shape, a vigorous grower, a free and continuous bloomer.

**General Jacqueminot**—Rich, velvety crimson changing to scarlet crimson; a magnificent Rose, equally beautiful in the bud state or open. This is the best known of all Hybrid Perpetuals, and is without a rival in fragrance and richness of coloring. See cut.

**Jules Chretien**—Flowers large and finely formed, color brilliant fiery red shaded light purple, fine foliage.

**Hybrid Perpetuals—Continued.**

**General Washington**—Bright vermillion rose, large, fine form and perfectly double. A standard variety of true excellence, remarkable alike for the vigor of its habit and freedom of bloom.

**John Bright**—In color a pure glowing crimson, double and of perfect cup-like form, very vigorous in growth and possessing the most desirable quality of being a free autumnal bloomer; 25 cents.

**Louis Dore**—Strong, vigorous growth, flowers well formed in clusters of three or four, color bright cerise red, shaded purple.

**Mad. Alice Dureau**—Fine bright rose, clear and glossy, a handsome globular flower, large and double.

**Mad. Alfred Carrière**—A new Rose of 1879. Flesh white shaded with salmon yellow at base of petals, large and double and a very rapid climber.

**Mons. Eugène Delaire**—Velvety, lighted with fiery red, large, full, extra; 25 cents.

**Mad. Alfred de Rougemont**—Pure white, delicately shaded and tinged with rose, fully double, good size, very sweet and hardy.

**Mad. Chas. Wood**—One of the very finest variety grown, flowers of immense size, dazzling crimson, very free bloomer.

**Mad. de St. Fulgent**—Dark crimson shaded with violet, a deep, rich color, flowers globular and well formed, vigorous.

**Mad. Eugène Verdier**—Satiny rose, shaded and bordered with silver, flowers extra large, full and well formed, said to be one of the best, growth vigorous, extra fine.

**Mad. Gustave Bonnet**—Pure white, sometimes tinged with rose; medium size, very double and full, sweet scented, free bloomer.

**Mad. Masson**—Large and double, color, reddish crimson, of fine form and substance, a constant bloomer, and invaluable for bedding purposes; one of the best.

**Mad. Plantier**—Pure white flowers of the most perfect form, very full, a beautiful Rose, splendid for cemetery decoration.

**Mad. F. Jamain**—Blush rose with deep carmine centre, petals overlapping, giving the flowers, when open, an unusually double appearance. A very desirable variety.

**Mad. Victor Verdier**—Rich, bright cherry red, changing to satin rose; large, full and fragrant.

**Mad. François Petit**—Pure white, very full and double flowers produced in clusters. One of the best of the new whites.

**Madame Baumann**—Bright carmine, flower very large and of exquisite form; a free bloomer, in every way one of the finest Roses grown.

**Magna Charta**—A splendid English sort; bright, clear pink, flushed with violet crimson, very sweet, flower extra large, fine form, very, double and full, a free bloomer. See cut.

**Maurice Bernardin**—A splendid old Rose; one of the best; rich, velvety crimson, large size, very full and fragrant.

**May Quenelle**—Brilliant magenta carmine, shaded with crimson; very large, full and of perfect globular form.

**Mlle Annie Wood**—Beautiful clear red; very large, excellent form.

**Mlle Catherine Soupert**—Large, full flowers, delightfully sweet, color pure white, elegantly shaded with rosy blush; one of the finest.

**Mrs. Laxton**—Bright rosy crimson, of the most perfect globular form, unequalled in this respect.

**Paul Jamain**—Deep, brilliant red, large, full, and finely formed, growth vigorous.

**Paul Neron**—Dark rose, very large, fine form, vigorous habit, seedling from "Victor Verdier."

**Prince Camille de Rohan**—Rich dark velvety crimson, changing to scarlet maroon, full, very double, sweet.

**R. Dudley Baxter**—Flowers deep maroon crimson, very rich in color, extra large, full and cupped, free, hardy and vigorous.

**Richard Laxton**—Reddish crimson, very bright and full, fine cupped form, free autumnal bloomer.

**Rosy Morn**—Delicate peach color, shaded salmon rose, very large and full, nicely scented and finely formed.

**Souvenir de Charles Montault**—Dark crimson maroon, velvety, a bold and striking flower, very full, good.

**Souvenir de M. Faivre**—Color deep dark red, large, full and double, a very strong grower.

**Triumph de France**—Brilliant crimson scarlet, extra large size, very double and full, exceedingly sweet, perfect form, opens well and is a free bloomer.

**HARDY CLIMBING.**

Climbing Roses are valuable for training over ornamental arbors, trellises, pillars, verandas, etc. The varieties given below are hardy, and succeed well in all sections of the country; they are in bloom but once during the season, either June or July, but are at that time very beautiful. **Price, 10 cents each.**

**Baltimore Belle**—Pale blush, variegated carmine rose and white, very double; one of the best.

**Queen of the Prairie**—Dark pink, sometimes with a white stripe, large, compact and globular.

**MOSS ROSES.**

These are much admired for the beautiful moss coverings of their buds. They are more hardy than any other class, and while they will well repay good soil and thorough culture, most of them will thrive and grow under circumstances that would be utter ruin to other classes. The most of these bloom but once during the season, the exceptions being noted in the descriptions given. It will be noticed our prices on these varieties are low. We are enabled to quote them thus for the reason we have prepared a large stock of the varieties most in demand.

**Price, 25 cents each unless noted.**

**Aphelis Purplea**—Violet purple, large, fine, full form, well covered with moss.

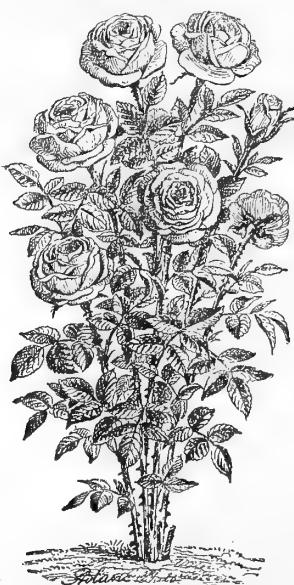
**Comtesse de Murinais**—Flowers white, sometimes tinged flesh color, large, double and cupped.

**Glory of Mosses**—A magnificent Moss Rose, very large and double, color deep rosy carmine, very mossy and fragrant; one of the finest; 35 cents.

**James Veitch**—A magnificent Moss Rose, extra large, very full, exceedingly sweet, buds very mossy, color bright rosy crimson changing to deep carnation red, free; 35 cents.

**Luxemburg**—Bright crimson scarlet, large, very mossy. **Perpetual White**—The finest White Moss, an elegant flower, large, full form, double and deliciously fragrant, buds mossy, blooms in large clusters, profuse bloomer, valuable.

**Princess Adelaide**—Fine, strong growth, hardy, flowers bright rosy pink, large and very double.



Magna Charta.

# NOVELTIES AND SCARCE PLANTS.



## ABUTILONS.

Price, unless noted, 15 cents each.

**Crusader**—Cinnabar red suffused with crimson; fine, well-formed flowers. Plant dwarf and free blooming.  
**Diadem**—Wine color veined violet, distinct and fine.  
**Ed. Layesson**—Bright golden yellow with shadings of mauve, very unique.  
**Etandard**—Deep red shaded crimson, a large fine flower, very free.

**Firefly**—Brilliant red shaded crimson, beautiful formed flowers.

**General Negley**—This is a grand improvement in every respect on *A. Thompsonii*, and will eventually displace that well known sort. The yellow markings in the leaves being of a clear yellow are very distinct and beautiful.

**Harvest Sheaf**—A splendid new sort with beautiful yellow flowers borne in great profusion. See cut.

**M. Delaux**—Large open flowers of a light reddish color, center of flower white, very distinct.

**Purpura**—Beautiful shade of purple, quite a new color in Abutilons. Plant dwarf and free blooming.

ONE DOLLAR WILL BUY TWELVE BEAUTIFUL GERANIUMS OR TWELVE ROSES.

In this list of new and rare plants, we present only the cream of all that have come under our notice, most of which are now offered for the first time in this country, and some of which have not yet been presented in European catalogues. We are pleased to say that they are all improvements on our standard varieties. In many instances the descriptions fail to convey to the reader how great these improvements are; indeed, they must be seen to be appreciated. These plants are introduced by florists of established reputation, who make a specialty of growing new plants.

The demand for novelties last season was extremely large, being in keeping with the demand for plants of all kinds, and we anticipate a much larger increase this year, being convinced that the continued prosperity of this nation will cause its cultivated population to purchase these beautiful imported varieties in greater profusion.

We call your attention to the very low prices we have quoted on many of the plants in this list; they are very much lower than new plants are usually offered.

## NEW ALTERNANTHERA AUREA NANA.

In this new variety we have a plant which grows compact and upright to a height of only four inches, and which becomes bright golden at once after being planted out, and retains its color right through the season. The foliage is narrower than the old variety, and the whole plant distinct in every respect. We predict for this new variety a popularity equal to that of the crimson *Parychoides Major*; 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen. Special prices given on larger quantities.

**Purity**—Pure white very profuse bloomer, said to be a great improvement on the older white varieties.

**Pauline Braun**—Plants of fine free blooming habit, flowers well shaped, color deep bronze red veined crimson.

**Pluton**—Deep red with darker veins, a fine shrubby habit.

## NEW COLEUS OF 1884.

The following are the pick of 3,000 seedlings, and are decided improvements in beauty and habit.

**Leader**—Vermillion yellow and maroon.

**Mrs. Bliss**—Yellow, pink and bronze.

**Emerald**—Green, yellow and carmine.

**Miss Bush**—Black, crimson and green.

**Mourning Bride**—Black, ribbed deep crimson.

**Picturata**—Bronze, yellow and green.

**Scarlet Prince**—Brilliant carmine scarlet, edged crimson.

**Bergen Beauty**—Scarlet, yellow and maroon.

**Atlanta**—Dark maroon, flamed carmine.

**Zulu**—Crimson maroon, blotched yellow.

**Splendeur**—Maroon, blotched crimson rose.

**Leaves of Autumn**—Large foliage, crimson, yellow, pink and bronze.

**Progress**—One of the most beautiful of Coleus for pot culture, but inclined to run to dull colors out of doors. Speckled and streaked crimson, yellow and bronze.

**Price, 10 cents each; the set of 13 varieties for \$1.00.**

## CLEMATIS CRISPA.

Price, 50 cents, three for \$1.00.

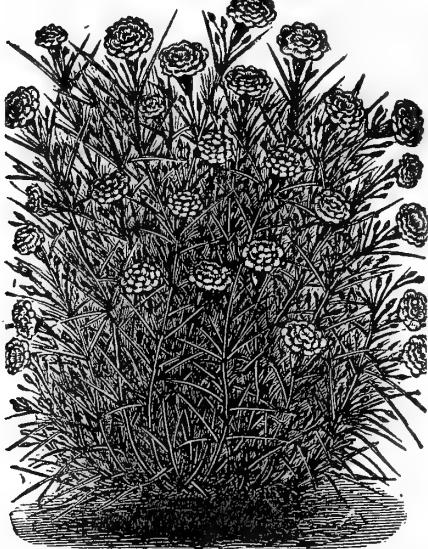
The interest awakened in Clematis since the introduction of Jackmanii, and still later, the handsome Coccinea, has grown to immense proportion. They are now to be found in all well-kept gardens. The Clematis we now offer is a most beautiful and distinct species, the flowers resembling in shape some of the elegant bell-shaped Lilies. The spread of each flower is from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches wide, and from  $1\frac{1}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in length. The coloring is of the most beautiful lavender-blue tint on the surface and margins of petals. The centers of the petals are an opaque-white. The flowers are of a thick, leathery texture, perfumed with a delicious piquant bergamot flavor. This is a most valuable variety. It is of remarkably free growth, robust, quite hardy, and very free flowering, continuing from June until frost. It must become as popular as the kinds previously mentioned.

## GOLDEN CALLA LILY.

Price, \$2.00 each.

**Richardia Hastata**—The flowers are smaller than those of the common Calla, and are a beautiful lemon color. The throat of the flower is velvety purple. It flowers freely in the early Spring months, not in the Fall or Winter, as the well-known Calla does.

## CARNATIONS.



**Eighth Wonder**—This Carnation may well be called the "Eighth Wonder." All who have seen it in bloom claim it is justly entitled to the name. It is a very robust grower and produces from twelve to fourteen buds on each flower stem. The flowers are regularly striped, white and maroon shaded carmine, and when fully expanded will measure from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches in diameter. See cut. 25 cents each.

**Firebrand**—As its name would indicate, this splendid new Carnation is remarkable for the brilliancy of its color. The color is bright scarlet and very handsome, of fine form and large; 15 cents each.

**Fred. Johnson**—Light scarlet, large, finely formed and very fragrant; 15 cents each.

**Grace Wilder**—Beautiful delicate pink, of the same shade as the rose Baroness Rothschild; 15 cts. each.

**Ida May**—This is a new variety which we have tested thoroughly, both as a Summer and Winter bloomer. Color rich, creamy yellow marbled and splashed



Eighth Wonder.

with carmine and pink. By far the best of the buff Carnations; 25 cents each.

**Princess Louise**—Color, rose-pink, flowers extra large, well formed, beautifully fringed, and strong clove scented; 15 cents.

**Sea Foam**—A splendid novelty, of great size, delicious perfume and fine texture, pure white, very double, with thick petals, rather dwarf and remarkably free; 15 cents.

**King of Crimson**—This has now become a standard sort around New York; a dark rich shade of crimson maroon, and produced in great profusion; 15 cents.

**President Garfield**—With great pleasure we offer, for the first time, this magnificent Carnation. It is a strong grower, quite dwarf and compact. The flowers are of large size, perfect form, highly fragrant, freely produced; color rich English vermillion; 15c.

**Mrs. Garfield**—Differs from the above only in color of flower, which is a rich shade of Chinese pink. It is one of the finest we have seen; 15 cents.

## CANNAS.

**Ehmanni**—A lovely and most distinct variety, with soft green leaves like Musa Ensete, and carmine red flowers as large as a Gladiolus; 50 cents each.

## DAISIES.



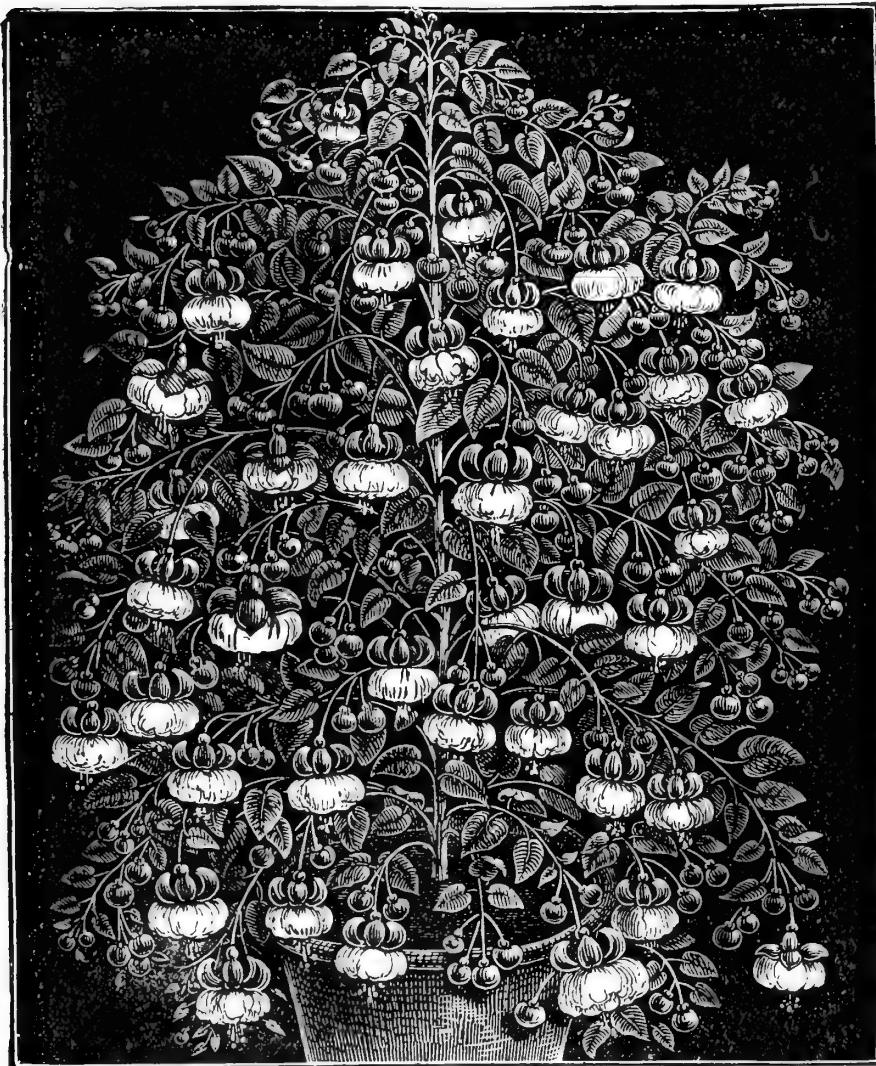
**New Daisy, "Longfellow"**—A free flowering sort of great merit, beautiful shade of pink, should be grown in a cool, shady position; 20 cents.

## NEW FUCHSIAS.

Price, 20 cents each, except where noted.

**Crepuscule**—Tube and sepals dark red. Corolla violet red, lined rose, large double flowers.

**Gen. Lapasset**—Flowers single, tube and sepals bright red, corolla reddish violet, robust habit. Has bloomed the entire Summer out of doors with us.



New Double Fuchsia, Nellie Borden.

## New Fuchsias--Continued.

**Jeanne d'Arc**—Of fine compact habit, vigorous grower, tube and sepals bright scarlet, corolla pure white. Lemoine says it is a grand advance in double whites.

**J. J. Rousseau**—Plant vigorous and very free flowering. Sepals recurved bright red; corolla globe-shaped violet blue, double.

**Lamennais**—Very dwarf and vigorous, corolla double and globe-shaped, pure white, upper part marked with carmine.

**Mrs. Rundt**—An improved Earl of Beaconsfield. Long tube and sepals. Single, rosy salmon. The great novelty among English florists the past season.

**Victor Hugo**—Flowers very large, double, sepals clear red, corolla clear lilac, an entirely new color.

## NEW FUCHSIAS OF LAST YEAR.

Price, 15 cents each, except where noted.

**Armand Carrel**—Flowers double, globular corolla, violet marbled with purple and rosy crimson, sepals short, large, recurved, bright rose with green points, very free blooming.

**Chas. Blanc**—Flowers single, sepals horizontal, dark red, corolla large, rose amaranth, mauve at the base.

**Gen Forgornol**—Flowers single, reddish violet; sepals slightly recurved, wine red.

**Gen. Saussier**—Flowers very large, double petals broad, violet, sepals broad, dark crimson.

**Nellie Borden**—Flowers double, rich carmine, tube and sepals, corolla pure white, plant of fine habit; 40 cents. See cut.

## NEW DOUBLE PETUNIA, Pearl of Savoy.

**Milne-Edward**—Flowers very double, bluish violet, petals marbled with red, sepals large, horizontal, coral rose.

## NEW DWARF FEVERFEW, Little Gem.

The great value of the old Dwarf Feverfew for cut flowers during the Summer and Fall is well known to florists and others. The variety which we now offer for the first time surpasses it in every way. It is very dwarf, attaining a height only of from eight to twelve inches. The flowers are larger, of more perfect form and of the purest white. We had a number of fine plants in our greenhouse last Fall grown in pots which were covered with flowers, while the plants were only eight inches high from the top of the pots; 20 cents.

## HELIOTROPE.

**Purple and Gold**—An entirely new style; Foliage golden yellow, flowers purple; 15 cents.

**Swanley Giant**—In this we have an entirely new color, the first shade of red, the color being what might be termed a carmine rose; immense trusses, delicious fragrance; 20 cents.

**White Lady**—It is a strong growing, free branching plant, a profuse bloomer. The flower is extra large. The color is the nearest approach to pure white we have yet seen; 15 cents.

**Albert Delaux**—This beautiful golden sort resembles very much the Lantana Market's Perfection in the coloring of the foliage, the bloom is of immense size, bright lilac. A novelty of much merit; 20 cts.

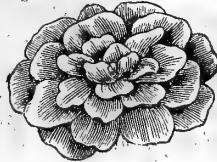
## HYDRANGEA ROSEA.

(New, from Veitch & Son, London.)  
A new and beautiful rose colored Hydrangea; 50 cts.

## LAVATERA ARBOREA VARIEGATA.

A new variegated border plant of striking appearance. The dark-green leaves are irregularly marked with greenish gray and pure white, and which give the plant a distinct and striking appearance. Although the variegation is most pronounced, there is no indication of weakness, but, on the contrary, the plant grows strong and vigorous; 50 cents.

## NEW DOUBLE OXALIS.



**Lutea Flora Pleno**—This is a fine novelty among basket plants, or for growing in the window garden. It is similar to the single yellow, save in flowers, these are quite double and fragrant; 20 cents. See cut.

## NEW DOUBLE TROPEOLUM.

**Hermine Grosshoff** This is a decided novelty; it differs from all other Tropaeolums in the dwarf growth and large, perfectly double flowers, which are about two inches in diameter and of a bright carmine red. It blooms continuously, and is well adapted to grow in single specimens as a pot plant or for planting in the open border. Its bright-colored flowers and elegant habit of growth render it indispensable in the planting of vases, baskets or window boxes; price, 10 cents.

**Majus**—Large, deep chrome yellow flowers, of a stronger habit than the preceding; price, 15 cents.

**Double Orange**—Very double, bright orange-colored flowers; price, 10 cents each.



This is, without doubt, one of the finest White Petunias yet introduced, a strong grower and free bloomer, flowers of the purest white, borne in the greatest profusion. We have been growing this sort for the past two seasons, and find it all that is claimed for it by its raisers, who sent it to us with the request that we try it, and if it proved worthy, to put it on the market. We have a fine stock of large plants of this sort at \$1.00 each; smaller plants, suitable for mailing, 25 cents each. See cut.

## THUNBERGIA FRAGRANS.



This is truly one of the finest trailing plants that we offer. The plant is a rapid and compact grower, and its flowers are nearly constant. The flower is pure white, and has a delicate fragrance seldom found; very scarce; price, 50 cents. See cut.

**NEW DOUBLE WHITE VIOLET, Swanley White.**

In this we have that great desideratum, a pure white Violet, which is never tinged with pink or purple under any conditions. It will be equally valuable as the purple variety "Marie Louise" (from which it is a sport) for forcing, as its flowers are the same size and are as freely produced as in that variety. Exquisitely fragrant. The Swanley White will be a novel feature in bridal bouquets and other fine floral work; 50 cents each.

**NEW FRENCH GERANIUMS FOR 1884.**

The following varieties were offered for the first time in France last Spring and imported by us. This collection contains many of the grandest varieties we have ever seen. We take great pleasure in offering them to our patrons, believing they will meet the approval of all who obtain them.

50 cents each, except where noted.

**Double Varieties.**

**Bac-ninh**—Immense spherical trusses of large, perfect formed florets, center beautiful salmon, petals bordered with lively red. A very distinct and fine variety. Plant of short jointed and very free blooming habit.

**Banquise**—Large trusses of beautifully formed flowers on strong foot-stalks. Color very pure white.

**Belle Nancienne**—Plant dwarf and floriferous. Enormous trusses of very large, full and well formed florets of a fresh and very attractive color, marble white lightly darkened with tender rose, center lively salmon, very distinct. This is the most beautiful of all the light colored section.

**Conseiller Galy**—Large trusses of a clear brilliant currant red color.

**Cesare Gondola**—Flowers very full of that peculiar yellowish red color of "New Guinea," the nearest approach to yellow among the doubles.

**Md. Leonce Baumes**—Flowers very double, color transparent white.

**Marquis d'Oyonville**—Very compact trusses of the richest carmine Chinese varnish color.

**Mon. W. Bealby**—Red Garnet, reflecting to violet color. Plant of fine habit.

**Mon. Jules Aldebert**—Flowers semi-double, beautiful flaming capucine orange color.

**Gen. Millet**—Very large florets, trusses full and of immense size, color the same as that splendid variety, "Grand Chancellor Faidherbe," but with very much larger trusses and finer florets. A grand variety: 75 cents each.

**Gustave Wideman**—Plant of short-jointed and free-flowering habit. Strong trusses, of very large florets of a lively apricot color.

**Gil Blas**—Compact trusses borne on strong foot-stalks. Plant very floriferous and of finest habit. Color currant red striped fiery red.

**Mon. J. Chretien**—Enormous trusses of fiery red velvet color.

**Md. L. de Beauregard**—Enormous trusses of very large double florets of the finest form. Color lively salmon, each petal distinctly bordered with pure white. Plant of very free flowering habit; a first-class sort.

**La Victoire**—Trusses large, flowers very full and fine form, color very pure and constant white.

**Palmyre**—Immense sized trusses of well formed flowers, color beautiful pure white. Said to be a splendid variety for out of doors bedding.

**Thibaut et Keteleer**—Flowers semi-double, salmon bordered vermillion.

**Md. Ed. Andre**—Large umbles, full, well formed florets, color salmon with bronze shadings.

**La Traviata**—Very large florets and trusses which are freely produced, carmine violet upper petals marked with fiery red.

**Orange Perfection**—Enormous trusses of orange vermilion colored flowers.

**L'Andalouse**—Large trusses of pure white flowers, which are very freely produced. Plant very free grower and of fine habit.

**Panama**—Enormous trusses borne on strong foot-stalks. Flowers full and well formed, center of petals salmon vermillion bordered rose salmon; a very fine variety.

Price, 50 cents each; the set of 22 varieties \$9.00.

**Single Varieties.**

**Cyclope**—Trusses large, color white shaded salmon with an orange centre plainly distinguished from the white, and producing a beautiful effect. Plant very floriferous.

**Cosmos**—Immense perfect formed trusses, florets large and finely formed, color salmon with orange, brighter toward the center; a grand variety.

**Neve**—Plant vigorous and of splendid habit, large trusses of the purest white flowers.

**Favourite**—Large, fine florets, of extra fine form, trusses of immense size, color beautiful sherry scarlet. Plant of very good habit and very floriferous.

**Paris Ischia**—Perfect formed trusses, color very brilliant salmon heavily tinted with orange, with an extraordinarily large and distinct pure white center: a most beautiful variety.

**Md. Doublat**—Perfect formed flowers, large globular trusses, alabaster white: an exceedingly fine white variety.

Price, 50 cents each; the set of six varieties, \$2.50.

**Double Ivy Leaf Varieties.**

**Gen. Gordon**—Very double flowers of perfect form, almost regular, color rich orange scarlet of dazzling brilliancy.

**Emile Lemoine**—A grand novelty. Plant of extra fine habit and very floriferous, bearing immense trusses of large, full and well formed flowers of a dazzling fiery capucine color; a color entirely unknown in the Ivy Leaf type, and one which has never been seen up to this date except in the Zonal class.

**M. Chevreul**—Very large trusses of large, perfect formed flowers, color a most beautiful shade of magenta rose, very attractive. Plant of first-class habit and very floriferous.

**Francesque Sarcey**—Flowers large, full and round, of a brilliant satiny salmon rose color. One of the very best sorts yet offered.

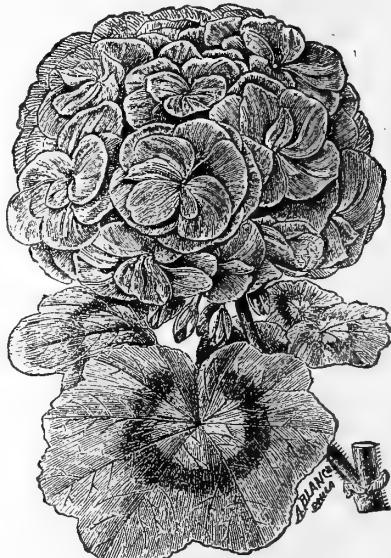
## Double.



E. Hippard.

**E. Hippard**—One of the grandest of Geraniums. No variety on our grounds attracted so much admiration from visitors as did this sort the past two seasons. Rich scarlet flowers of immense size and perfect truss. All lovers of beautiful Geraniums should have this sort; 50 cents. See cut.

**St. Elmo**—A superb sort. A Double Kate Patterson, florets large and well-formed, color rich deep orange scarlet, overlaid with buff: the only one of its color, \$1.00 each.



Warnell.

**Warnell**—Flowers large, very double and perfect shape, dwarf and compact growth, color rich rosy pink, upper petals marked white, a splendid sort always giving an abundance of bloom; 50 cents. See cut. The set of three sorts, \$1.75.



Single Ivy Leaf Variety.



**Garibaldi**—Very large flowers of a lively garnet color. Plant of free growing habit and very floriferous.

Price, 50 cents each; the entire collection of 35 varieties of French Geraniums, Double, Single and Ivy Leaved, for \$12.00.

## American Sorts.

The following single varieties are of American origin and said to be very fine:

**Henry Irving**—Very large, perfectly formed flowers of brilliant vermillion scarlet with pure white eye, trusses of very large size on stout foot stalks. Plant of neat, compact habit and free flowering.

**Jumbo**—Florets and trusses of immense size, of a deep rich crimson color.

**Mrs. E. T. Keim**—Pearly white with vermillion center, with large white eye; a beautiful variety.

**Rembrandt**—Upper petals rich velvety crimson; lower petals being deeply shaded with a rich violet.

**Starlight**—Pure white with broad pink center, with a distinct pure white eye.

**Refector**—Very bright vermillion scarlet with large, pure white eye, trusses very large and freely produced.

**Rosy Morn**—Well formed, bright rosy carmine flowers. Plant of neat, compact habit.

Price, 35 cents each; the set of seven varieties for \$2.00.

## OUR OWN SET OF NEW GERANIUMS FOR 1885.

The following sorts have been grown by us for the past two seasons, and we do not hesitate to pronounce them equal to any of the new improved sorts of this season. We have grown and sent out some of the best sorts of both Single and Double Geraniums ever sent out, and we do not offer anything that has not true merit.

## Single.

**Annie Hippard**—Dark crimson scarlet, this sort is of great merit, one of the best flowers we have ever seen either as a pot plant or for out door culture; 50c.

**Cauline Baune** Bright orange scarlet, splendid, compact growth, flower stalks well above foliage. A splendid sort; 50 cents.

**Ella Morgan**—This splendid sort is a seedling from Kate Patterson, and partakes of its parent in size and shape of bloom, but is of a strong growth and free flowering. The best of its color. Color a most delicate shade of pink overlaid with rich orange; 75 cents; the set of three sorts, \$1.50.

# GENERAL COLLECTION.



## ABUTILONS.

This fine class of plants must become more popular. Take them all in all, there are no plants that give so many flowers during the dreary months of Winter. For new sorts of 1885, see Novelties, page 13.)

Ten cents each, twelve of our selection for \$1.00.

**Aurelia**—A very fine, large flower, of a rich and bright golden yellow color.

**Boule de Neige**—Pure white, bell-shaped flowers; very freely produced.

**John Hopkins**—Flowers bright canary yellow, large.

**Miss Baldwin**—Delicate flesh-white, veined, clear rose. This is a new color in Abutilons.

**Mrs. Lloyd Selby**—Salmon pink, veined rose; a strong grower and free bloomer.

**No. Plus Ultra**—Crimson-red, veined with a deeper, richer crimson, a fine flower.

**Paul Graff**—One of the very best in the collection. The flowers, which are produced freely, are of good size; the color is bright, clear yellow, resembling a Marechal Ni-1 rose-bud.

**Purity**—Flowers pure white, an improvement on Boule de Neige, both as regards size and substance.

**Purple Emperor**—Large flowers, good substance, rosy purple; distinct and pretty.

**Robert George**—A strong growing variety, salmon-colored flowers, veined crimson.

**Snow Storm**—New, pure white, dwarf habit, an improvement on Boule de Neige.

**Thos. Elverson**—Flowers flame color, veined red; a strong grower, and worthy a place in every collection.

**Vexillarium Pictum**—A striking variety, foliage marbled with golden yellow; flowers scarlet and yellow.

**Violet Queen**—Flowers of fine form and substance, of a bright violet color, very distinct.

## ACALYPHA.

These plants are increasing in popularity every year and bid fair to be in great demand for bedding as well as house culture. We have a large stock, and are offering them very cheap. Unless noted, 15 cents each.

**Macafeesna**—Leaves eight inches long and six broad, frequently cut into many forms and highly colored, bright red blotched with deep bronzy crimson.

**Musaica**—Leaves variegated in rectangular and irregular blotches of rose, white, pink and bronze.

**Marginata**—Another new striking variety, leaves green, distinctly banded with a narrow margin of pink and white.

**Tri-color**—A very ornamental variety, with large foliage, irregular, mottled with crimson, and flamed with red.

**I**N the following pages will be found a complete assortment of the standard varieties of PLANTS, VINES and BULBS. In this department, as in our Rose and Novelty lists, we have catalogued the best only, not wishing any one to be able to say, concerning our Catalogue, that they could find in it everything, be it good, bad or indifferent. We can recommend all the plants we name as being desirable. There are quite a number of choice plants that we grow, and while they are grand additions to our collections of Hothouse and Greenhouse Plants, we do not think it wise to offer them for sale to amateurs who have not had the experience, and have not the facilities for taking care of them. We wish to say, if you would have the best results attend your efforts, and you have had but little, if any, experience with plants, begin with what may be called the common class of plants, such as you know most about. Take Geraniums, Fuchsias, Roses, Ageratums, Hibiscus, and, in fact, most any plants in the following pages. They are comparatively easily grown, and any one may have good success with them.

## ACHANIA MALVAVISCUS.



An old but very showy plant, of easy culture, with heart-shaped, downy leaves and brilliant scarlet flowers; as it blooms nearly all the year, it is useful for bedding as well as for growing in the house in Winter; 15 cents. See cut.

## ACHYRANTHES.

Bright-leaved plants, used largely in ribbon gardening and massing, for which they are admirably adapted from their easy culture, standing the hottest Summer weather, and keeping their bright-hued tints until destroyed by frost; 10 cents.

**Aurea Reticulata**—Foliation golden carmine and green.

**Cordata**—Leaves deep crimson veined pink.

**Lindenii**—Leaves blood red.

**Wallissii**—The leaves are small, round, of a beautiful purplish red color, with metallic green.

**Reticulata Superba**—This striking variety is a compact grower; leaves of a deep red color, veins and stems bright crimson.

## AGATHEA CELESTIS, Blue Daisy.

One of the most fashionable of Winter flowers last season. The flowers are daisy-shaped, of a delicate light blue with a yellow disc; it flowers in great profusion from November to April, and makes a novel and pleasing feature in any collection of plants. It is of easy culture, and will be valuable as a parlor plant; 10 cents.

**AGERATUM.**

Fine plants for Summer decoration, or for cut flowers in the Winter. The shape and colors of the flowers render them so useful for bouquets that they are great favorites with all who are acquainted with them; price, 10 cents.

**Brighton Beauty**—The chief merit of this sort is that the flowers are borne well above the foliage, making it one of the best for cut flower work. It blooms freely in Winter as well as Summer.

**Countess of Stars**—The top of the plant is a mass of fragrant lavender blue flowers.

**John Douglass**—Deep mazarine blue, compact habit, profuse bloomer.

**Minnie Spear**—Color bright lavender, shaded blue; large, compact trusses, fragrant, distinct and pleasant.

**AKEBIA QUINATA.**

A beautiful, hardy, evergreen climber, attaining a height of twenty feet; flowers dark brown, and deliciously fragrant. One of the most valuable climbing plants; 15 cents.

**ALOYSIA CITRIDIORA.**

**Lemon Verbena**—Foliage delightfully fragrant. To simply brush against it causes it to emit the most delicious lemon odor. A few sprigs will perfume a bouquet or collection of flowers. Planted out of doors, it grows into a fine, large clump, and can be taken up in the Fall and wintered over in the cellar; 10 cents each.

**ALYSSUM, Double.**

A variety with neat green foliage, producing profusely spikes of pure, double white flowers. Valuable for cut flowers; 10 cents each, 75 cents per dozen.

**AMARYLLIS, Formosissima Jacobæa Lily.**

Crimson velvet color, flowering early in the Summer. The flowers have a most graceful and charming appearance. To be planted out in May in rich ground. The roots are preserved like Dahlias during Winter; 25 cents.

**Atamasco**—Pink and white, free bloomer; 25 cents.

**Johnsoni**—Scarlet, striped with white, flowers very large; 75 cents. See cut.

**AMARYLLIS TREATIE, Zephyranthus.**

A beautiful variety of the Amaryllis family, of recent introduction; flowers pure white, sweet scented. It is easily grown either in the garden or as a pot plant. In the Southern States it is perfectly hardy, and can be left in the ground over Winter; 15 cents each.

**ALTERNANTHERA.**

**Amœna Spectabilis**—This variety stands in the same relation to Alternantheras as the old Coleus Verschaffeldii does to the general variety of Coleus, being superior to all others in color, which is of a bright shade of carmine rose, which it retains from the first to last of the season. This, with the new sort we are offering, will be very extensively grown; they are indispensable in all fine carpet bedding. Price of above 10 cents; \$1.00 per dozen. Special rates by the 100 or 1,000.

**Aurea Nana**—(See New Plants, page 13.)

**ANTHERICUM VITATUM VARIEGATUM.**

An elegant plant with recurved graceful foliage. The leaves are dark green, beautifully marked with broad stripes and bands of white. It produces long spikes of small star-shaped flowers, which are quite effective. The habit and style of plant resembles the Pandanus Veitchi. It is very useful as a basket plant; 25 cents.

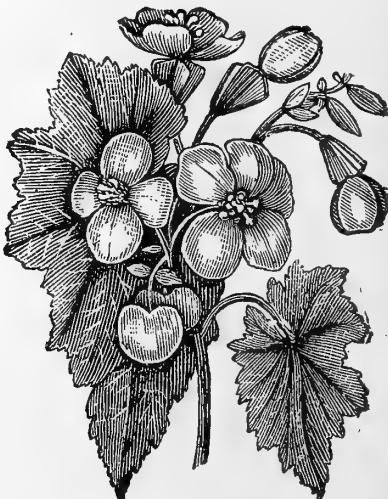
**AMPELOPSIS.**

**Quinquefolia**—This is the well-known Virginia Creeper, found in many parts of the country; it is a fast grower, of strong habit; leaves splendidly variegated in the Fall; 15 cents each.

**Veitchii**—A miniature variety of the Virginia Creeper; the young growth during the Summer is a dark purple, changing in Fall to the brightest tints of scarlet, crimson and orange. It clings to stone work and trees, and is a splendid plant for covering unsightly objects, it attains a height of fifty feet; 20 cents.

**ASTILBE, Japonica.**

One of the finest of hardy garden plants, when in flower, the plants are from twelve to eighteen inches high, the flowers are white, borne on feather-like spikes, they are really beautiful. It is extensively used for forcing for Winter flowers by bouquet makers; 20 cents each.

**BEGONIAS, Summer Blooming.**

Begonia Weltoniensis.

**Weltoniensis**—Flowers rich shade of pink.

**Weltoniensis Alba**—Flowers white.  
15 cents each. See cut.

## Winter Blooming.

**Hybrida Multiflora**—Flowers rosy pink.

**Miniatia**—Orange-red flowers; very showy.

**Parnell**—Small olive green leaves, spotted silvery white; 15 cents.

**Picta**—Leaves spotted silvery white; 15 cents.

**Rubra**—A novel acquisition to our list of winter blooming plants, foliage large, very dark green, flowers produced in large clusters of bright scarlet, rose color, very showy; 20 cents.

**Saundersoni**—Flowers crimson, very profuse bloomer; 10 cents.

**Schmidtii**—A charming new species from Brazil. In character and habit like the well-known *B. Weltoniensis*. The flowers are of medium size, white, tinged with pink, always in bloom. The small leaves are metallic-green, the under side pale red. A Begonia for everybody; 25 cents.

## Rex or Foliage Varieties.

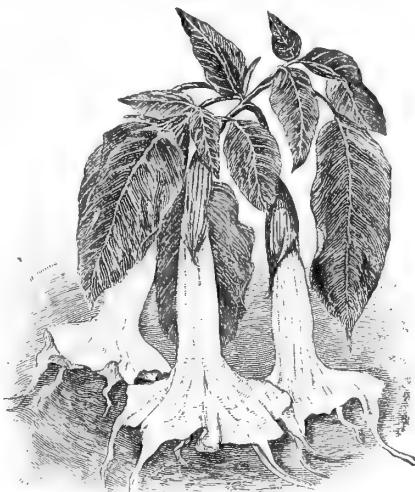


Very large, handsome leaves, beautifully variegated; they form magnificent specimens when well grown, but require a warm, moist atmosphere and a shady situation to do well; excellent plants for a conservatory, they make especially handsome pot plants, and are well adapted for Wardian cases; 20 cents each. See cut.

## BIGNONIA GRANDIFLORA.

This well-known "Trumpet Creeper" is a rapid-growing, hardy, climbing vine, covered during the latter part of Summer and Fall with masses of bright orange scarlet flowers; very showy. It is excellent for hiding old fences or other unsightly objects; 25c.

## BRUGMANSIA SUAVEOLENS.



A magnificent plant, growing four to six feet high; leaves large and velvety; the flowers are huge, trumpet-shaped, double and highly fragrant, and are often eight inches long and four to six inches across the mouth; in color white with a pale tinge of lemon; blooms profusely all Summer; 25 cents. See cut.

## BOUWARDIAS.

Of all plants the Bouvardia, in our opinion, excels for cut flowers, either for button-hole bouquets, or table decoration; a spray of it is sure to be most prominent and pleasing, and the odor of several kinds is deliciously refreshing, and if well grown they will more or less continue flowering nine months out of the year; 15 cents.

**Alfred Neuner**—The flowers are rather larger than those of the single flowering, and composed of three perfect rows of petals of the purest wax-white color, each floret resembling a miniature tuberose.

**Bridal Wreath**—The bloom is produced freely in large clusters of snow-white flower lobes, delightfully fragrant.

**Davidsonii**—A beautiful variety, pure white, produces succession of bloom during the Winter.

**Elegans**—Truss and individual florets, being nearly double the size of any other known scarlet variety, the color scarlet, tinted carmine.

**Leiantha**—Dazzling scarlet; one of the best.

**President Garfield**—This is a distinct novel and very handsome Bouvardia. It is a sport from the Double White, and differs from it only in color, which is a bright pink. See cut.

**Sanguinea**—A new variety. It is equally profuse in blooming as the older sorts. Color crimson vermillion, truss compact.

## CARNATIONS.

Flowering freely at any season of the year desired. Carnations are among the very best plants under cultivation. Fragrant flowers are always popular and will always be so, and the rich, spicy odor of the Carnation, positively delicious, combined with its varied color and



Double Bouvardia, Prest. Garfield.

## Carnations—Continued.



Carnation, Snowdon.

handsome form, leaves little to be desired. Planted in the flower garden, Carnations begin blooming as soon as they begin to grow, continuing until checked by frost. Their flowers are much larger, however, in the Fall, as the plants naturally prefer cool weather.

Price, except otherwise noted, 10 cents each.

**Astoria Bertine**—Buff, mottled with rose and carmine. **Brilliant**—Bright scarlet, fragrant.

**Beauty**—A strong grower and free bloomer; flowers of large size and perfect form, color rose mottled with carmine and red; 15 cents.

**Charles Sumner**—A new Carnation of great merit; bright pink, large flower, very fragrant.

**Defiance**—Crimson, shaded with purple; large flower.

**Edwardsii**—Pure white; perfectly formed flowers.

**Gambetta**—Pink and white striped; robust grower.

**George Washington**—White ground, dotted cherry red.

**La Excellent**—Pure white, beautiful and distinct carmine edge, perfect form, fine grower.

**La Purite**—Deep carmine, fine grower and fine bloomer.

**La Purite Var**—Rose, striped white, habit and flowering qualities same as La Purite.

**Little Beauty**—Scarlet and yellow, blotched and marked; robust dwarf grower.

**President DeGraw**—White, very large, deeply fringed, profuse bloomer.

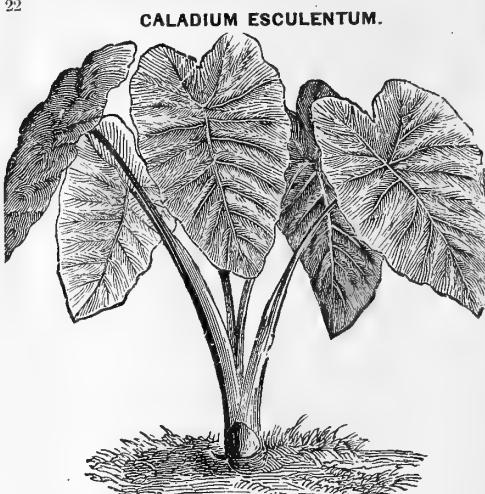
**Peter Henderson**—Enormous size, pure white flowers, very fragrant.

**Snowden**—A dwarf variety, rarely exceeds one foot in height. The flowers are of the purest white, borne in unequalled profusion; 15 cents. See cut.

For newer sorts see Novelties, page 14.

**CLERODENDRON.**

A handsome greenhouse climber, with large clusters of crimson scarlet flowers, each flower encased in a bag-like calyx of pure white. When trained on a trellis the drooping panicles have a rich and elegant appearance. It can be trained as a shrub also, and makes a very showy pot plant, blooming, as it does, almost continually in the Winter; 20cts. each.



CALADIUM ESCULENTUM.

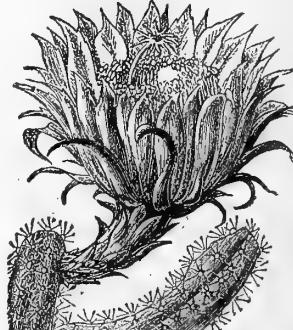
One of the most beautiful and striking of the ornamental foliage plants in cultivation, either for culture in large pots or tubs or for planting upon the lawn. It will grow in any garden soil, and is of the easiest culture. When of full size it stands five feet high; price, 10, 15 and 25 cents and \$1.00, according to size.

**CENTAUREA CANDIDISSIMA.**

A beautiful plant, with white, downy foliage, growing about two feet in height, and forming a magnificent contrast with Coleus or other dark foliage plants. Indispensable for ribbon lines; price, 20 cents each.

**CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA.**

A beautiful, downy, white foliage plant, with drooping, fern-like leaves, forming a graceful, rounded bush about two feet in diameter. Splendid for ribboning or bedding, forming a beautiful contrast with dark foliage plants; price, 15 cents each.

**CEREUS, Night-Blooming Cactus.**

**MacDonaldii**—The flower resembles the Grandiflora, but much larger; 30 cents. See cut.

**CESTRUM, Night-Blooming Jasmine.**

**Parqui**—A favorite plant on account of the delightful odor of its unattractive greenish-white flowers, of easy cultivation, succeeds well when planted out, blooming during the Summer; 10 cents.

**Alba**—A splendid variety, with pure white flowers, a beautiful sight, very fragrant, full bloom; 25c. each.

## CALLA ETHIOPICA, Lily of the Nile.



We desire to call your attention particularly to our Callas. They are wonderfully free bloomers, much more so than those usually sold. We obtain our bulbs from California and grow them by the thousands, supplying many florists with bulbs to grow for cut flowers. Our bulbs produce more than thrice as many blooms as those ordinarily sold, and yet we sell them at the following low rates: From 2 inch pots, 10 cents; 3 inch, 15 cents; 4 inch 25 cents; 5 inch, 50 cents; 6 inch, 75 cents each. See cut.

## CAMPSIDIUM FILICIFOLUM.

An elegant climber, of rapid growth, for house culture, the leaves of which much resemble the fronds of a fern, in miniature. The growth and general character of the plant is so elegant that whether cultivated as a small pot plant, trained on globular or other trellises, or planted as a climber, it has a most charming and engaging appearance; price, 25 cts. each. See cut.

## CANNAS.

These give a very beautiful and tropical aspect to pleasure grounds by their growth and broad, massive foliage, relieved by rich crimson scarlet, orange or yellow flowers during the late Summer months; their foliage comprising various shades of rich green glaucous and chocolate-crimson leaf-tints, fits them admirably for effective groups, their beautiful appearance rendering them a striking contrast to other plants. They should have a rich, moist situation. Unnamed sorts, 20 cents; fine named sorts, 30 cents.

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Those who have never seen the improved varieties of Chrysanthemums that have been recently introduced, can have but little idea of what a grand sight it is to see a fine collection in full bloom. During Oc-

tober and November we had a remarkably fine display. We have discarded all but the finest sorts. There are three classes of Chrysanthemums, the Chinese, bearing a large, loose, graceful flower; the Pompeone, with small and perfectly double flowers in great abundance; and the Japanese, with ragged, fringe-like flowers, like the Chinese, only more so; price, 10 cents each, 12 of our selection for \$1.

## Chinese Chrysanthemums.

- Christine—Peach, good.
- Diana—White, yellow center.
- Guernsey Nugget—Fine shade of light yell.
- Hermione—White, lilac tip.
- Julia Lagravere—Dark velvety crimson, very attractive, a good bloomer.
- Jardin des Plantes—Intense golden yellow.
- Laciniatum—Blush white fringed.
- Madame Chate—Large-flowered, broad petals, white lined violet, cream colored center.
- Montgolfier—Dark amber.
- Perle des Beauties—Dark purplish crimson, very perfect flowers, good habit.
- Semiramis—Blush white, lemon center.
- White Eve—White.

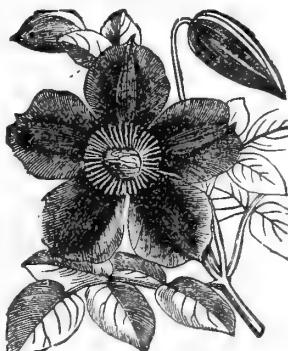
## Japanese Chrysanthemums.

- Grandiflora Japonica—Brownish orange, fringed.
- Luteum Striatum—Color pale gold, good bloomer.
- Madame Chapon—Bronze and yellow.
- Meteor—White, petals long, good bloomer.
- M'le Mouless—Flowers waxy white, of fine texture, center gold, fragrant.
- Orphée—Reddish crimson center incurved, very fine habit.
- Parasol—Flowers large, feathered, color light and lilac, variable.
- Ville de Marsailles—Dark crimson, yellow center, brilliant.

## Pompon Chrysanthemums.

- Barra—Indian red, and yellow.
- Bolide—Golden yellow imbricated.
- Canrobert—Beautiful yellow.
- Cupbenell—Dark rose, almost maroon, early flowering.
- Danæ—Bright golden yellow.
- Golden Creste—Rich dark yellow.
- La Brazier—Deep brown.
- La Purée—One of the best, flowers white, medium white.
- Louis Schwartz—Very small white flowers, tipped purple.
- Princess Louise—Bright rose, fine habit and bloomer.
- Rosinante—Pale blush, medium size flowers.
- St. Crouts—White tipped pink, early flowers.

## CLEMATIS.



There are numerous varieties of this beautiful class of plants, and after several years of careful observation we are satisfied the following varieties will give

## Clematis—Continued.

entire satisfaction, for hardiness, strong growth and profuse bloom. Price, unless noted, 50 cents each.

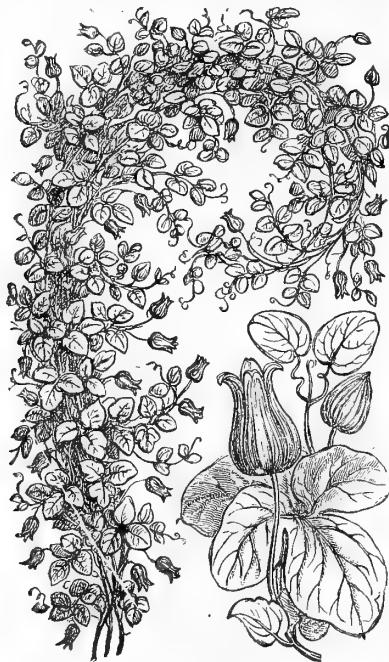
**Helena**—Pure white, flowers 4 to 6 inches in diameter; one of the earliest bloomers, and very profuse, blooming in May.

**Languinosa Candida**—This is a grand variety, a very strong grower, and *perpetual* bloomer. It commences to bloom in June; its first bloom is immense, after which it blooms at intervals during the whole season; it is the best *perpetual* white Clematis we know of. 75 cents each.

**Jackmanii**—Color, rich violet purple; the flowers are 4 to 6 inches across, and borne in the greatest profusion, commencing to bloom the latter part of June, and it continues to bloom at intervals during the whole season. It is a vigorous grower, making shoots from ten to twelve feet in a season. See cut.

**Crispa**—Four to six feet. A climber, with shrubby stems below. Flowers singly, on long stalks, abundant, one and a half inches long, lilac purple, very fragrant 25 cents.

## CLEMATIS Coccinea.



After another year's trial we can recommend this plant with more confidence than ever, and it must rank at once among the most beautiful climbers; strong plants grow to the height of 12 feet, covered with its bright coral scarlet flowers from July to the end of October; it is entirely distinct from all other climbers in its elegant growth, freedom of flowering and general effect; as a cut flower it lasts well and can be used either by single flowers or cut in long vines and used for festooning; 25 cents each.

For New Clematis see page 14.

## COBEA SCANDENS.

A remarkably rapid-growing vine, climbing thirty or forty feet in a season. Flowers bell shaped, purple, grows well in a warm situation, and has few equals for rapidly covering a wall or trellis; 20 cents.

## CHRYSANTHEMUM FRUTESCENS, Paris Daisy.

This is the "Marguerite" of the Paris markets, the flowers of which are now so fashionable during the Winter. Flowers which resemble the common field Daisy, a white ray of petals with a yellow disc; 10 cts.

**Golden Paris Daisy, Etoile D'Or**—Similar to the preceding in all respects, excepting the color, which is clear golden yellow, both petals and disc; 10 cents.

## CUPHEA.



**Platycerata**—(Cigar Plant) Always in bloom, grows finely in the flower border in Summer, and is covered with a profusion of bright scarlet tubes tipped black and white; also an excellent house plant in Winter. Price, 10 cents each.

**Hillfieldiana**—This resembles in general style of habit and growth *C. Platycerata*, with small, bright, glossy green leaves, and a profusion of trumpet-shaped flowers an inch in length, the upper half of the tube of which is bright crimson, the under half white, and the end violet purple; 10 cents each.

## COLEUS.

Recognizing the prominent part that Coleus now take in the adornment of the garden and greenhouse, we have for the past few years devoted much attention to the collecting of new varieties. The set we now offer surpasses any collection that has ever been sent out, and it would seem as though perfection had at last been reached in Coleus. 10 cents, 15 for \$1.

**Blackbird**—Immense foliage, maroon, crimson and bronze.

**Captivation**—Yellow centre with broad band of green, sometimes margined with yellow.

**Crescent**—Brilliant crimson edged light or green, extra fine.

**Darwin**—Rich purplish maroon, veined and mottled with green.

**Flora**—Colors pink maroon, green and yellow, serrated,

**Flambeau**—Dark ground, rose center, margined dark green.

**Fairy Knoll**—Carmine-rose rimmed with velvety maroon.

**Garland**—Foliage large and finely serrated, color rich purple, green and carmine, very distinct.

**Golden Bedder**—A sport from "The Shah," of the same color as the yellow marking in that variety. We have tested it outside the past season, when it grew as strongly as *Verschaffeltii*. We think it is the best yellow Coleus grown.

**Homeland**—Chocolate ground veined crimson, broad green margin.

**James Barnshaw**—Yellow and crimson striped.

**Kirk Alloway**—Deep violet suffused with carmine and rose.

**Mrs. Geddes**—Foliage large, variegated carmine, pink and green.

**Md. H. Jamain**—Deep crimson and gold.

**Mrs. Humphries**—Light claret veined with yellow.

**Mrs. Baxter**—Pink veins on dark ground, broad green serrated margin.

**Mrs. Swann**—Very fine velvety maroon, with light crimson center and veins.

## Coleus—Continued.

**Midnight**—Rich dark maroon.  
**Progress**—Ground color, deep green spotted with yellow, crimson, dark purple and black.  
**Pres. Garfield**—Very large foliage marbled chocolate, carmine and maroon.  
**Ruby**—Rich crimson maroon, center dark rose color, beautifully fringed edges; a superb variety.  
**Queen of the Lawn**—Dazzling carmine, rimmed with velvety maroon.  
**Sensation**—Purplish green, margins with zone of velvety black, rich, clear, purple center; a fine and distinct variety.  
**Senator**—Dark chocolate splashed with pink and crimson.  
**Striking**—Base of leaf orange yellow, gradually changing to light brown, green margin.  
**The Blonde**—Light green, mottled yellow serrated margin; strong grower; 10 cents.  
**Mrs. Retta Kirkpatrick**—White center, shaded with yellow, broad green margin.  
**Principes**—Dark crimson, stained with rich velvety brown.  
**Seraph**—Fiery crimson, spotted with chocolate.  
**Spotted Gem**—Yellow ground, regularly blotched crimson, green and orange.  
**Speciosa**—Green, with broad, yellowish white central bar.  
**Favorite**—Fine crimson scarlet, golden edge.  
**Gem**—Deep crimson margined with yellow.  
**G. W. Burke**—Light canary, deeply, maroon stripe on mid rib, wavy margin.  
**Red Cloud**—Brownish red, very handsome.  
**Bouquet**—Yellow, blotched with maroon.  
**Black Prince**—Almost black.  
**The Shah**—Lower half of leaf deep crimson, upper half golden yellow.  
**Verschaffeltii**—Rich, velvet crimson.  
**Aurora**—Yellowish green ground, with red veins.  
**Beacon**—Blackish purple, with brown and bright crimson midribs and veins.  
**Butterfly**—Variegation of chocolate brown, changing to a pale, pinkish carmine ground, handsomely variegated with bright yellow and green.  
**Dr. Joseph Hooker**—Dark crimson, narrow green margin.  
**Glow**—Green edge, maroon center, narrow bar of crimson through center of leaf.  
**Harlequin**—Variegated with all the colors of the Coleus family, magnificent.  
**Magic**—Green ground, center of leaf banded with white.

## CROTONS.

The Crotons are among the finest decorative foliage plants known. The leaves of all are more or less veined and margined, sometimes entirely variegated with shades of yellow, orange and crimson. Some have long, narrow leaves, arching gracefully, fountain fashion. Others broad and short, oak-leaved. Some recurved, very much; others twisted, cork-screw like. Crotons love heat, sunshine and moisture. We have a number of the best sorts; price, 25 cents each.

## CYCLAMEN PERSICUM.



**Alpine Violet**—A lovely little Winter blooming bulb, with nicely marked foliage and very pretty, fragrant blossoms of peculiar shape. It remains in bloom a long time, a single flower lasting for weeks. Some

have pure white flowers, others white with pink or crimson centers, and all crimson, a very desirable plant and well adapted for house culture; 20 cents each. See cut.

## DOUBLE WHITE DAISY.



We have a splendid stock of this beautiful little flower. It is unsurpassed for planting in shady, cool situations. It gives an abundance of bloom from Spring to Fall if rightly cared for; 10 cents each.

**New Daisy, "Longfellow"**—See New Plants, page 14.

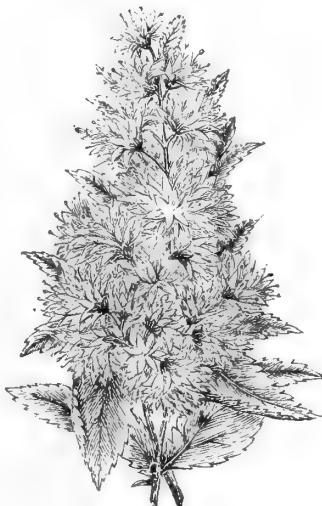
## DIANTHUS QUERTERII, German Pink.

This beautiful pink grows to the height of a foot, flowers rich purple crimson, two inches in diameter, double and well formed. It blooms without intermission from June to January, clove-scented; 10 cents.

## DAPHNE ODORATA.

A plant that no lover of flowers should be without. It is evergreen, growing from three to four feet high, bearing large clusters of small, pinkish-white flowers, of exquisite fragrance; price, 25 cents to 50 cents each.

## DEUTZIA GRACILIS.



One of the prettiest hardy shrubs of small size in cultivation, of dwarf, compact habit, with slender branches and small leaves, growing in neat, compact shape, it never exceeds two and a half to three feet in height, making it very desirable for small gardens or where tall growing shrubs are objectionable. In May it is completely covered with trusses of pure white blossoms, which bear close resemblance to the Lily of the Valley; price, 15 to 25 cents.

## DRACENIA INDIVISA.

**Indivisa**—With narrow, grass-like foliage, a beautiful plant for center of basket or vases. Its long, grass-like leaves give it a royal appearance; 50 cts. each.

## DAHLIA.

We have a splendid stock of the best sorts of Dwarf and large flowering sorts. Young plants will have bulbs of sufficient age and size to ship by mail in May; can send green plants sooner. Give color you desire and we will send the best sorts of this color.

**Juarezii**—A most valuable and useful decorative plant for all purposes through the late Summer and Autumn months. Its blossoms are of a rich scarlet, and very much resemble in shape and color the well-known Cactus, *Cereus Speciosissimus*. Height about three feet, very bushy, flowers of striking appearance and quite unlike those of ordinary double Dahlia, the florets being flat and pointed. During the Fall and Winter the flowers sold at 50 cents each; price, 25 cents each.

## Set New Single Dahlias.

This new section of the Dahlia family has now become exceedingly fashionable, owing to the value attached to the cut blooms, their airy, butterfly-like forms giving them a grace never attained by the finest double sorts. The flowers range from three to five inches in diameter, all having a bright center surrounded with petals running through all the shades of scarlet, crimson, rose, yellow, orange, white, lilac, carmine, etc.

**Butterfly**—A beautiful shade of pink.

**Ballot**—Deep carmine, large and showy.

**Moonstone**—Large; large canary yellow.

**Sandusky**—Orange, immense size, very distinct disk.

**Chancellor**—Immaculate lilac, large size, free blooming.

**Crichton**—Maroon of a rich velvety shade.

**Pearl**—Pure white lily-like flowers.

**Corsage**—Intense bright scarlet, very fine.

**Vicarage**—Bright vermillion, large.

**Amaranth**—The names of these two sorts indicate the

**Mulberry**—color; they are very beautiful.

**Alba**, or **White Queen**—One of the best and most useful of all flowers, the sensation of the year, flowers very large, of the purest white, from three to four inches in diameter. Young plants of single Dahlias ready May 15; 20 cents each.

## EUCHARIS AMAZONICA.



**Amazon Lily**—A bulbous-rooted plant, with broad, lily-like leaves. The flower-stalk springs directly from the bulb, and usually bears four or five exceedingly beautiful, pure white flowers, about four inches across and delightfully fragrant. The plant requires an abundance of water and a rich soil. Fine, large, blooming bulbs; 50 cents each. See cut.

## EULALIA JAPONICA ZEBRINA.



**Variegata**—Long, narrow leaf blades, striped green, white, and often pink and yellow. It throws up stalks from four to six feet in height, terminating with a cluster of flower spikes; the flowers are surrounded by long silky threads; 15 cents.

**Zebra**—We doubt if ever before we offered a plant that is likely to give better satisfaction to our customers than this ornamental grass. Unlike everything else, the striping or marking is across the leaf, instead of longitudinally. It grows from four to six feet in height, forming a most graceful and striking plant. Its appearance is such that it will arrest the attention of the most careless observer. The flower spikes which are borne late in the Fall have the form of ostrich plumes. It is quite hardy; price, 35 cents. See cut.

## EUPHORBIA.

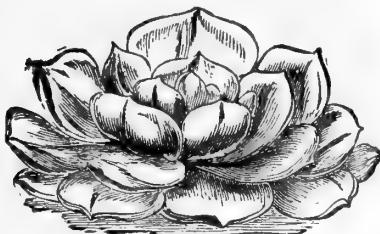
**Splendens**—A handsome plant for house or conservatory, peculiar appearance, the stout, stiff-like branches being densely covered with spines one inch long. Flowers of a bright cherry crimson color produced in clusters throughout the greater part of the year; 25 cents.

**Esclepias**—A beautiful hot-house shrub, of the Euphorbia family, bearing its beautiful white flowers in great profusion. Its blooms resemble a miniature *Hoya* or wax plant bloom, and last a great while; a very desirable flower for out-door or house culture; 15 cents each.

## FARFUGIUM GRANDE.

A beautiful plant, with large leaves, blotched with bright yellow spots, very desirable for house culture; 25 cents.

## ECHEVERIAS.



Very ornamental succulent plants, chiefly from Mexico; of the easiest possible cultivation. They bloom freely in the Winter, and stand our hottest suns without water. Useful for carpet beds, rockeries, outer edges of ribbon beds, etc.

**Retusa Floribunda**—Plant very dwarf; neat round glaucous green leaves; flowers rosy-pink produced on very small plants; a decided acquisition.

**Sanguinea**—Long, red, succulent leaves.

**Secunda**—This variety forms a neat rosette tuft of green leaves, and produces freely for several months in succession bright scarlet flowers with yellow centers.

**Secunda Glauca**—Similar to the above, with beautiful glaucous green leaves; price, 20 cents each.

## FERNS.

No plants form more charming ornaments for the parlor than these, with their delicate and beautiful foliage. Price, 20 cents each.

**Adiantum Cuneatum**—Commonly known as the "Maiden Hair Fern."

**Adiantum Capillas-veneris**—Similar to the preceding, but more hardy, growing more luxuriantly in localities not subject to over ten degrees of frost.

**Nephrolepsis Duffi**—A more dwarf grower than Exaltata, but a bushy, free growing plant.

**Lygodium Scandens**—Climbing Fern; a very graceful and rapid grower of easy culture, supported by strings or wire, forms a beautiful window ornament.

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**Nephrolepsis Exaltata**—Commonly known as Sword Fern; this is one of the most easily grown of the Fern family, and is ornamental either as a window or basket plant.

**Pteris Serrulata**—Graceful, pendent fronds, deeply serrated. Very easy of cultivation.

## FICUS.



**Elastica**, (India Rubber Tree)—Very large, smooth, leathery leaves, evergreen foliage, generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant growing to a large size, and producing enormous green leaves; 50 cents each.

**Parchelli**—New; large leaves, beautifully marbled with bright green and white. The plant is of free growth and extremely effective; 75 cents.



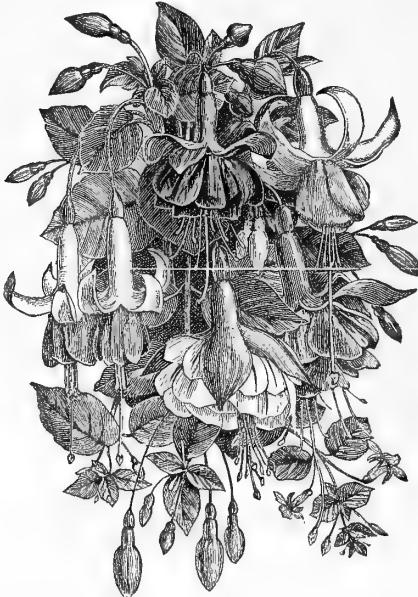
Fern.

**FEVERFEW.**

**Double White**—Daisy-like flowers in great profusion, one of the best bedding plants, a universal favorite; 10 cents each.

**Little Gem**—New, see Novelties, page 16.

**FUCHSIAS.**



Fuchsias are elegant flowers, delicate in coloring and exquisitely graceful in form. If you have any defective spot on the north side of the house that you wish concealed, or desire for a northern border, nothing will answer the purpose as beautifully as the Fuchsias; price, 10 cents each, except where noted; or we will send 12 fine sorts of our selection, each labeled, for \$1.

**Arabella**—White tube and sepals, corolla rose, the best light-colored variety.

**Aurora Superba**—Tube and sepals salmon, corolla bright orange.

**Avalanche**—Sepals bright carmine, dark corolla, very double and fine.

**Beacon**—Sepals rose, corolla carmine.

**Benmania**—White tube and sepals, scarlet crimson corolla, very fine bloomer.

**Black Prince**—Large, expanded corolla of a reddish rose color, habit of growth extra fine, and one of the most abundant blooming varieties that we have.

**Blanchette**—Pure white tubes and sepals, corolla scarlet tinge i with rose.

**Brilliant**—Well-relaxed, pinkish white, sepals, red corolla

**Carl Halt**—White sepals, rose colored corolla, striped with white; fine.

**Coccinea Rosea**—A tuberous rooted species of peculiar growth, resembling the old Fuchsia Fulgens. Tube and sepals light carmine, corolla dark carmine, a splendid sort; 25 cents.

**Covent Garden White**—Tube and sepals white; clear lake corolla.

**Depute Berlet**—Flowers large and very double, carolla violet, with metallic shadings, tube and sepals bright red.

**Duchess of Lancaster**—White tube and sepals, rosy purple coroll.

**Earl of Beaconsfield**—Calyx light rosy carmine; corolla deep carmine, vigorous, free, distinct, blooms three inches in length; 20 cents.

**Elegance**—A beautiful free-blooming sort with light golden green foliage, tube and sepals carmine, corolla single purple.

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**Elm City**—Sepals rich crimson; corolla purple, globular, double

**Enchantress**—Crimson tube and sepals, double white corolla, extra fine.

**Excellent**—Crimson sepals, purple corolla, nice pyramidal growth.

**Gracieux**—Flowers large, single, tube and sepals light red, corolla lavender blue, habit dwarf and compact, early and free flowering; 20 cents.

**Gustave Heitz**—Waxy red sepals, corolla double purple veined with crimson.

**Harvest Home**—Double purple corolla, scarlet sepals; 15 cents.

**Joseph Rosin**—Double, very large scarlet tube and sepal; corolla violet-blue, striped deep scarlet.

**Jules Monge**—New, lovely sky blue double corolla, banded with scarlet; 25 cents.

**Le Negre**—Double, fiery-crimson corolla, heavily shaded with black; coral sepals.

**Lady Heytesbury**—White tube and sepals, purple corolla.

**La Niege**—Double white corolla, crimson tube and sepals.

**Lord Byron**—Waxy crimson sepals, very dark purple corolla; 30 cents.

**Lustre**—Tube and sepals pure white, vivid crimson corolla, good habit.

**Madame Carl Schickler**—Sepals crimson, double white corolla, tinged with purple.

**May Queen**—Tube and sepals pure white, curved.

**Mme. Beant**—Sepals carmine, petals white, double; one of the best.

**Miss Lucy Finnis**—Corolla very double, very large and pure white, tube and sepals coral; 20 cents.

**Misai**—Tube and sepals red, double violet corolla.

**Monarch**—Red tube and sepals, pink corolla, extra large and fine.

**Monstrosa**—Corolla pure white, very double, immense size and free blooming.

**Mrs. Marshall**—Corolla carmine, sepals blush.

**Mrs. S. M. Thomas**—Very large, dark purple corolla, beautifully quilled, sepals scarlet, well reflexed; 15 cents.

**Miss Welsh**—Tube and sepals of a tender flesh color, corolla orange red, brightly shaded with violet.

**Madame van der Strass**—One of the large and double, pure white corolla, beautifully reflexed bright scarlet sepals; 15 cents.

**Modeille**—Sepals well reflexed with pure white double corolla.

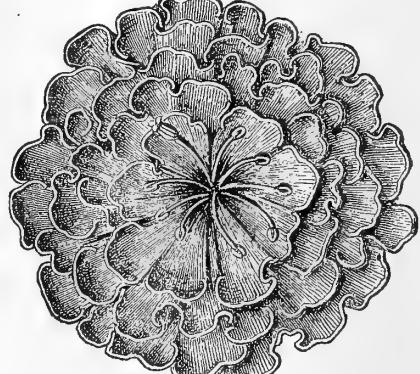
**Pascal**—A grand addition to the basket Fuchsia, with strong, spreading habit, color light red and rosy purple, fine; free grower, good.

**Pink Perfection**—A stout flower, of fine form, with creamy-white tube and sepals, and rich pink and violet corolla, dashed with violet.

**Puritan**—Corolla white, sepals dark crimson.

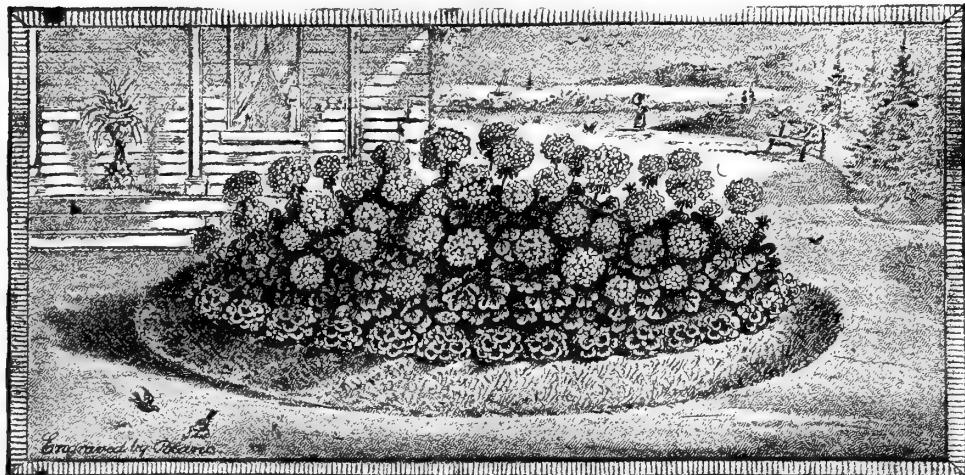
**Rose of Castile**—Sepals and tube blush, corolla large rosy purple, extra fine.

For Newer Sorts of Fuchsias see pages 14 and 15.



Double Fuchsia.

## GERANIUMS.



Bed of Geraniums.

We do not believe our collection of Geraniums, for beauty of bloom and perfect growth can be excelled anywhere. We have saved only the cream of hundreds of varieties, and do not hesitate to offer them to our patrons, having the utmost confidence in them ourselves. Some florists offer a much larger list, but we believe ours contains every sort of true merit; our new sorts for 1884 are indeed worthy of a place in every collection. For New Sorts see page 17.

Prices, 10 cents each, except where noted: 12 for \$1.00.

## SINGLE FLOWERED.

**Alex. Dumas**—Large trusses of amaranth, shaded violet, flowers with orange markings on the upper petals, a new color, distinct and fine.

**Alsacian Lorrain**—Large trusses of globular form, flowers deep orange, shaded bright nankeen: a fine variety.

**Anna Scott**—Very rich deep crimson, finely shaped flowers, shaded with maroon; a grand bedder, and will be a great acquisition in its line of color.

**Adolph Cremieux**—Flowers of a salmon-yellow color, blotched white; a showy variety.

**Albert Memorial**—Color, intense bright scarlet.

**Ami Thiebaut**—Clear light salmon, pale edges, free blooming and stands the sun perfectly.

**Cardinals**—Very distinct in color from any other in the list, having very large trusses of the deepest scarlet-crimson, shaded with maroon.

**Charlie Cashon**—One of the finest bedding, bright scarlet nosegay.

**Challamel Lacour**—Rich vivid crimson, immense trusses; a magnificent Geranium; 15 cents.

**Dazzler**—Exceedingly rich scarlet, with large white eye, very brilliant.

**Diana**—Deep rich velvety crimson.

**Dr. John Denny**—Deep crimson, shaded with purplish magenta, with a bluish shade, the upper petals spotted with orange-scarlet; 20 cents.

**Ed. About**—Semi-dwarf, vigorous, flowers brilliant rose, upper petals spotted white, very floriferous, trusses of good form.

**Eckmanna Chatrain**—Dark rich crimson, purple flowers in immense trusses well above the foliage, very free bloomer; a magnificent variety.

**Eugene Labiche**—Umbels exceedingly grand, lower petals bright vermillion, upper petals tinted purple.

**General Allen**—Bright scarlet very large trusses, fine scarlet.

**Gen. Grant**—A superb bedding variety, with very large truss and brilliant scarlet flowers.

**Jealousy**—Color an orange scarlet, so much so as to give it decidedly an orange hue, flowers perfect, trusses large, an abundant bloomer, all that can be desired in bedding Geranium; 15 cents.

**Jeanne d' Arc**—Much the purest white zonale, first class certificate; 20 cents.

**John Lemoine**—Flowers of medium size, color a rich carmine, with a tint of vermillion, white eye.

**Jules Favre**—Color a brilliant purple, with a reflection of green-dine.

**King of the Lawn**—Scarlet, remarkably fine.

**La France**—A very much improved Dr. Denny, colors deeper, flowers and trusses larger, very fine; 50 cents.

**L' Elysee**—Bronze shaded with orange-salmon and red, center of petals lighter, trusses of great size, desirable.

**Loveliness**—Most delicate shade of pink, large and full, very beautiful; 15 cents.

**Lord Gifford**—Scarlet, white eye, large truss, free bloomer.

**M. Levyliter**—Flowers large, round and well formed color bright salmon, marbled white, center white.

**Marquis de la Rochethelon**—Reddish violet flowers, upper petals marked with orange, white eye.

**Master Christine**—This is unquestionably the brightest and best pink ever sent out, remarkable for its immense quantities of bloom.

**Miss Gertrude**—Salmon flesh, with white margin.

**Mrs. Sugden**—Large velvety scarlet flowers, white eye.

**Merimee**—Light orange, with extremity and center of petals white; a very showy variety.

**Novelty**—An entirely new and distinct kind, lower petals rich scarlet, upper petals all one color, a rich novelty; 15 cents.

## Geraniums—Continued.

**New Life**—The ground color is deep scarlet striped and blottedched with white.

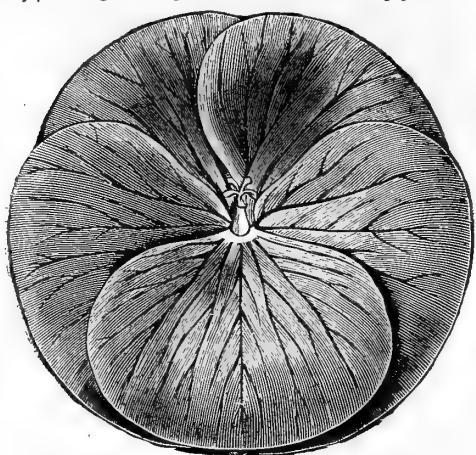
**P. L. Courier**—Immense spherical trusses, of clear vermillion flowers, very noticeable from its brilliant color and the great size of its trusses.

**Pride of the West**—Bright orange scarlet, large truss and profuse bloomer, one of the best.

**Right Ahead**—Very dark crimson, upper petals scarlet, pips and truss very large, extra.

**Snowball**—White-pink tinge, flowers large, truss large, free bloomer; 15 cents.

**Sylph**—Bright orange scarlet, fine truss and pip.



**Titania**—Deep, rich maroon crimson, with distinct white eye; 10 cents.

**White Perfection**—Pure white, beautiful, of good habit, the best white Geranium for bedding.

**William Cullen Bryant**—Each floret on strong plants will measure two inches across, color a soft, rich, pure scarlet. The thickness of petal and size of flower make it appear as if stamp'd out of thick velvet, the trusses are large, globular-shaped.

**Zuleika**—Upper petals shaded crimson, lower petals bluish purple.

## DOUBLE FLOWERED.

**Ami Hoste**—A very fine variety, with deep crimson purple shaded flowers, large trusses, fine.

**Auguste Villiaume**—Bright orange-scarlet, trusses and individual florets very large and showy, of dwarf and free-flowering habit.

**Asa Gray**—Plant dwarf and of free-flowering habit, flowers salmon edged with white, very full and double.

**Bataclaa**—Deep, purple-violet, shaded carmine, individual florets, extremely large.

**Bishop Wood**—Upper petals carmine-scarlet, shading to vermillion, lower petals violet-rose, of dwarf habit.

**Boussingault**—A striking novelty, of a vivid color, and bearing its flowers in enormous trusses, orange-vermillion softened with rose, the color in the center of the florets of a flaming character.

**Casimir Perier**—Flowers very double and of the most perfect form, flaming orange, bordered with salmon, trusses large and compact.

**Colville**—A bright scarlet, in the style of H. Cannell, but florets larger; 15 cents.

**Charles Darwin**—Magnificent rich deep purple plum colored flowers; another new distinct variety; 20c.

**Ed. Andre**—Very large trusses of double flowers, rose, shaded violet; a bright and pleasing variety.

**Edouard Lequin**—Rich crimson, shaded with vermillion, large and showy truss; 15 cents.

**Elizabeth Gerbeau**—Brilliant salmon with a margin of pure white, trusses large, flowers well expanded, very free bloomer; 15 cents.

**Emile de Girardin**—A splendid variety with enormous trusses of flowers of beautiful rose color; 15 cents.

**Ernest Lauth**—A magnificent variety, flowers large, full and well formed, deep glowing crimson, illuminated with scarlet, immense compact trusses.

**General Farres**—Flowers large, good trusses, orange, shaded red in the center, with rosy bronze shadings over the entire flower, very pretty and good.

**Grand Chancelier Faidherbe**—A new sort, very thick and double flowers, of a dark soft red, tinted with scarlet and heavily shaded with maroon, very dark and rich, and at the same time very bright, simply a superb variety; 20 cents.

**Gullion Mangilli**—Dazzling crimson-scarlet, with flower petals deeply shaded violet; an excellent sort, free bloomer.

**Henry Cannell**—The flowers are intensely deep scarlet, pipe measuring two inches in diameter, trusses large and globular, a wonderful bloomer; 15 cents.

**Iroquois**—Intense deep scarlet, flowers very large and double, habit of plant dwarf and branching.

**James A. Garfield**—Flowers large and good shape, of a delicate rosy pink color.

**Jean Dolfuss**—Flowers very full, of a brilliant purplish violet color, large truss.

**J. P. Stahl**—Very double and perfect flowers, vermillion color, veined and bordered with rosy salmon, upper petals of a deeper shade; 15 cents.

**J. H. Klippert**—Flowers of the most dazzling vermillion-scarlet, shaded with mahogany at the base of petals.

**Lemoine's Cannell**—It is by far the most highly colored Geranium grown. As nearly as we can describe it, the color is a rich amaranthine red, the upper petals very strongly marked with purple, producing a very rich and beautiful effect; 20 cents.

**Le Niagara**—The finest of all the double whites, having the purest color and best shaped flower of any double white known to us; 15 cents.

**Louis Boutard**—A fine advance, color the highest salmon, well-shaped flowers, large trusses, free.

**M. Pasteur**—A splendid variety, with large globular trusses of rich red flowers, shaded with orange; 15c.

**Madame Amelia Baltet**—Dwarf habit, and remarkably clear, double, pure white, in good trusses. The freest flowering double white yet raised.

**Madame Thibaut**—Flowers large and of perfect shape, rich rose-pink, upper petals marked white, beautiful.

**Mrs. Charles Pease**—A deep pink color, with the upper petals of each flower distinctively marked with pure white.

**Ministre Constant**—Orange shaded, bright salmon, finely shaped, large trusses and of fine habit.

**Naomi**—Rich bluish pink, of a dwarf habit, producing great quantities of elegant trusses, good for bedding or pot culture.

**Paul Bert**—Dwarf habit, large flowers, of a violet-rose color.

**Paul Charbonnier**—Color orange-red, shaded with bright vermillion.

**Prokop Leubbeck**—Flowers of a very bright carmine, shaded fire-red.

**President Leon Simon**—A most beautiful Geranium, flowers of a perfect form, bright clear red, flamed with salmon, large truss, vigorous.

**Peter Henderson**—Bright orange-scarlet, very double, base of petals pure white; a remarkably fine Geranium.

**Remarkable**—A much improved Ernest Lauth, with flowers of a deeper shade, very large trusses and very free.

**Representative Baudin**—Velvety deep crimson flowers, good trusses, free grower and distinct.

**Rubis**—A very fine variety, with immense trusses of bright scarlet flowers, a dwarf grower and very free bloomer.

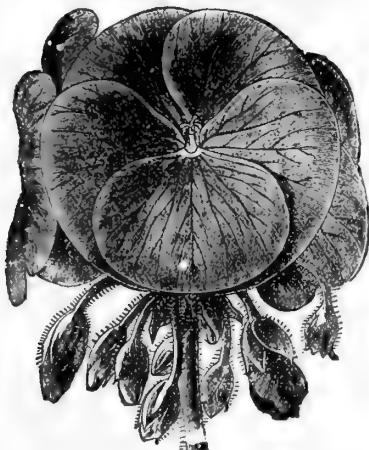
**The Blonde**—Salmon, deeply shaded orange, base of petals white, with a white margin.

## DOUBLE GERANIUMS OF 1883.

Price, 10 cents each, 12 for \$1.00.

**Annie Kremer**—One of the very best scarlet Geraniums, somewhat resembling Peter Henderson, but brighter in color.**Double Gen. Grant**—Semi-double, color dazzling scarlet, a very fine bedding sort.**Etandard**—Very free blooming, color a beautiful shade of amaranth.**Flocon de Neige**—Plant dwarf, with large trusses of pure white flowers.**Gen. Billot**—Trusses large and composed of very large florets. Color crimson lake tinted flame.**Gen. Sausser**—Color a peculiar shade of salmon. Very distinct.**L'Abbe Gregoire**—The upper petals are of a fiery amaranth, the lower of a capucine red.**Lena Rivers**—This is a splendid new sort; the brilliant scarlet florets are produced in large trusses and in great profusion.**Maggie Hallock**—Soft pure pink shaded rose, with reflex of petals silvery white.**May Wayte**—Violet crimson shaded scarlet; a good bedder.**M. P. Chambault**—Plant dwarf with large trusses of tender rose colored flowers.**M. Hardy**—Large flowers, color deep lilac and rose.**Mrs. Bane**—Immense size, well-formed flowers of a beautiful rich crimson.**Mrs. Simmons**—Deep salmon with dark bronze shadings, free bloomer.**Pocahontas**—Beautiful rosy pink, upper petals margined white.**Robert Sparks**—Immense trusses and flowers of a beautiful soft red, dwarf habit.**Ruby Triumph**—Large trusses, crimson scarlet.**Vinton**—Flowers finely shaped, color rosy peach with white markings.

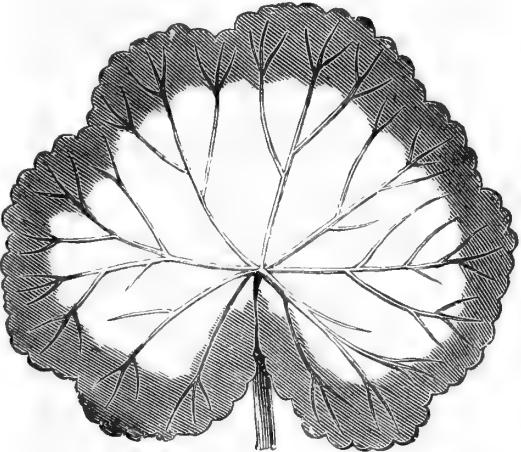
## SINGLE GERANIUMS OF 1883.



Price, 10 cents each, 12 for \$1.00.

**Antonin Proust**—Immense bell shaped truss, of violet carmine color, upper petals marked with purplish crimson. Very free flowering and of good habit.**Col. Martin**—Red, shaded violet, upper petals marked with orange scarlet.**Dupont de l'Eure**—Color mixed violet and bright red, upper petals spotted with golden hue.**Electric Light**—Large round florets with broad overlapping petals of the most brilliant soft glossy scarlet color, trusses large.**Jacques Leinhart**—Rich scarlet lined with crimson. Of fine form and habit.**Jasper**—Very large trusses of deep orange shaded flowers with a white eye; compact habit and fine bloomer.**Lady Bishop**—Bright scarlet, with large white eye; good trusses. Last Summer in our grounds it proved to be fine for bedding.**Mrs. Beach**—Orange-salmon, fine large florets and trusses, remarkably fine for pot culture, blooming continually.**Minister Varro**—Plant of good habit, carrying large, well-formed trusses. Color bright vermillion shaded and marked red.**M. Chevreul**—In color a brilliant amaranthine red, the upper petals marked with reddish orange. A fine bloomer of very fine effect.**Mrs. J. P. Anthony**—Plant of fine free blooming habit. Trusses very large, color white and rosy salmon.**Mrs. W. B. Allison**—Very large, bright vermillion scarlet. Flowers borne in large trusses which are produced in the greatest abundance.**Instituteur Deleval**—Immense globe shaped trusses. The larger petals of a bright currant red, the smaller petals flame color marked with bright cerise.**Louis Ulbach**—Well formed flowers of a yellowish or orange red color.**President Garfield**—Compact trusses. Florets of fine form. Petals of lake and carmine tints, upper petals marked orange.

## GERANIUM, Happy Thought.



An entirely new style of leaf variegated in the Geranium, differing from the ordinary form in having a large yellow blotch in the center of the leaf, with an outer band of green at the margin. Flowers rich magenta rose, novel and interesting; 10 cents.

## GOLDEN BRONZE GERANIUMS.

This class of Geraniums is admirable for bedding purposes, growing vigorously, succeeding best and assuming their brightest color during the heat of Summer. They not only have attractive foliage, but the beauty and variety of the flowers add additional value to them. We have eliminated from this list all but the very best and most attractive sorts. Price, unless noted, 15 cents each. For New Sorts see page 17.

**Beauty of Calderdale**—Zone of bright orange-red on a yellow ground, very beautiful.**Black Douglass**—Splendid dark zone on fine yellow ground, fine bedder.**Cloth of Gold**—Leaves a rich golden self-color, flowers dark scarlet, excellent.

## Geraniums—Continued.



**Crystal Palace Gem**—Broad golden-yellow margin, with a central disc of green, dwarf and free, one of the best.

**Marshal MacMahon**—Golden yellow, with zone of dark chocolate, fine, large foliage, a splendid bedder; a magnificent variety.

**Magician**—Foliage dark green, with yellow disc, broad, dark zone which becomes very bright in hot, dry weather, flowers orange-scarlet. We recommend this sort both for bedding and house culture.

## GOLDEN TRI-COLOR GERANIUMS.

It is impossible to describe the leaf markings of this beautiful class to convey to the reader any adequate idea of their beauty. They are marked with yellow, carmine, crimson, and chocolate, combined together as only nature can. They will not stand full exposure to our Summer sun, but when planted in shady situations do well. As pot plants they are deservedly popular; 25 to 50 cents each.

## SILVER-MARGINED AND TRI-COLORED GERANIUMS.

These very beautiful Geraniums should be grown more generally. Nothing can be more beautiful than their foliage during the Winter, in the parlor or conservatory, and strong plants succeed well out doors during Summer; 10 cents.

## SCENTED-LEAVED CERANIUMS.

These beautifully scented-leaved Geraniums are now very extensively grown for their highly fragrant foliage, and for mixing with cut flowers, to which they add a most pleasant odor; unless noted, 10 cts.; 12 for \$1.00.

**Apple**—Round leaf, strongly and delightfully scented; 15 cents each.

**Balm Scented**—Very large foliage, deliciously fragrant.

**Dr. Livingstone**—Fine, sweet-scented, cut-leaved. 20c.

**Lemon-Scented**—Strong lemon fragrance, small crisped foliage; 20 cents.

**Mrs. Taylor**—Foliage not very fragrant, but beautifully formed, flowers scarlet, in good clusters, shaped like a small Pelargonium, blooms very freely and constantly unique. See cut.

**Nutmeg-Scented**—Free flowering, small leaves, resembling those of Apple-Scented,

**Quercifolium**—Fine ornamental oak-leaved foliage, leaf black center with beautiful margin of peagreen, very attractive.

**Rose**—Large, heavy, deeply lobed leaves, strongly and delightfully scented.

**Tomentosum**—Large, flat, wooly foliage, highly scented with peppermint, a most valuable variety; 15cts.

## GERANIUMS, Ivy-Leaved.

Ivy-leaved Geraniums, on account of their graceful drooping growth, are extremely useful for vases and rustic or suspended baskets. The rich wax-like foliage alone is ornamental, but added to that they have pretty flowers, and the different varieties present a

contrast and charm obtained by few other plants. Our new sorts of last year will be found in these lists: price, unless noted, 10 cents each; 12 for \$1.

For New Sorts see page 17.

## Double-Flowered.

**Andre Theurit**—A delicate rose color shaded salmon; 15 cents.

**Dr. Broca**—Flowers large and double, brightest clear rose color; 15 cents.

**Galilee**—Bright pink.

**King Albert**—In growth equal to the best single varieties, flowers of violet-rose color.

**La Fiancee**—Very clear lilac, flowers regular and larger than those of King Albert.

**Lucie Lemoine**—Flowers blush white, the upper petals striped black at base.

**La France**—Beautiful light rose, flowers and trusses of immense size, habit free and short jointed; 25 cts.

**Mrs. H. Cannell**—Immense trusses of large-size flowers, of a deep mauve purple, perfectly round and produced in great abundance; 15 cents.

**M. Dubus**—Deepest rose pink, same shade as the double zonal variety, Md. Thibaut, a fine and distinct variety; 20 cents.

**Peintre Morot**—Habit dwarf, very full, white-tinted lilac, beutiful; 20 cents.

**Robert Fortune**—Fine large carmine, shaded pink flowers, trusses large and freely produced; 20 cents.

## Single-Flowered.

**Beaute de Lyon**—A beautiful variety, producing fine flowers of a bright scarlet color, with purple shade; 50 cents.

**Butterfly**—White-spotted rose.

**Lord Byron**—Brilliant scarlet, blotched and flaked pure white, very showy; 20 cents.

**Marie Dumortier**—White, slightly striped rose, purple spots; 20 cents.

**Napoleon III**—Bright scarlet, white striped in the center of the petals, extra fine; 20 cents.

**Ophir**—Dark yellow, stained purple; 25 cents.

**Princess of Wales**—White, flamed with carmine rose, deep carmine blotch.

**Proserpine**—Rosy white, very strongly marked with deep rose and carmine violet, extra fine; 20 cents.

**Robert Fortune**—Orange lake, shading to purple-crimson, veined white, perfection; 20 cents.

**Stella**—White, slightly tinted yellow, flamed carmine; 20 cents.



Mrs. Taylor.

HYBRID CAPE GERANIUM, *Echinatum*.

This class of Geraniums is entirely distinct, but very little known. They bloom very freely and are useful for cut flowers. This species is a representative of the class, the leaves are covered with a white silvery down, flowers pure white, the upper petals feathered with maroon, borne on well-formed trusses; \$1.00 each. See cut.

## MONTHLY PELARGONIUMS.

These sorts commence blooming in December, and continue until July. For a Winter flowering window plant they are unsurpassed, blooming free and abundantly in any ordinary living room. The flowers are large and perfect, of medium trusses of the odier

style of Fancy Pelargoniums, with fine blotched petals: price, 35 to 50 cents each.

**F. Dornr.**—Throat and edge of petals pure white, each petal shaded toward the center with a rich carmine-pink, with a glowing crimson blotch on each petal, of which the upper two are the larger.

**F. Heinl.**—Very large flowers, large, open throat of pure white, each petal edged white, shaded and pencilled or veined with a very delicate purplish pink, light pink blotches on each petal.

**Robert Heinl.**—This is a new sort that we have lately received without description. It will doubtless prove as fine as the two preceding sorts, which are rapidly taking the place of the old class of Pelargoniums.



Gladiolus.

## GLOXINIAS.

These are among the handsomest of our Summer-blooming house plants, the rich and varied coloring of the flowering being beautiful in the extreme, flowers two inches long by 1 1/2 inch in diameter, upright and pendulous kind, colors crimson, violet, rose, scarlet, white, etc. The bulbs should be started in the Spring and after blooming all Summer require a season of rest. This can be done by gradually withholding water from them. After they are dried off, they may be kept in a warm, dry cellar or under the stage of a greenhouse. Large bulbs 25 cents.

**Hybrida Alba.**—Flowers the purest white, most delightfully scented, plants tall, blooming on stems twelve inches in height, leaves different from the Glloxinia, and flowers not so large; new plant: price, 25 cents.

GNAPHALIUM, *Lanatum*, *Variegata*.

This plant has the same downy appearance as *G. Lanatum*, and each leaf has a broad margin of light golden-yellow, filling about two-thirds of the entire leaf, while the center portion is a very delicate green. The plant is of low, spreading habit, as it stands the hottest sun well, is very suitable for vases or the edging of beds; price, 15 cents.

## GARDENIA FLORIDA, Cape Jasamine.

A beautiful evergreen shrub, foliage bright glossy green, flowers pure white, deliciously fragrant. Should be found in every collection of plants. It is hardy in the Southern States, where it is held in high esteem: 25 cents each.

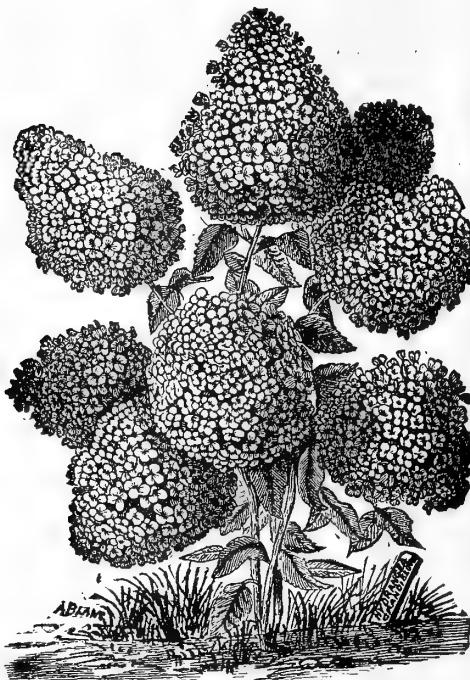
WHAT MORE CAN WE SAY TO INDUCE YOU TO GIVE US A TRIAL ORDER.

**Lemoinei**—Color creamy white, slightly tinted with green, the lower petals dashed with rich crimson-maroon. It is perfectly hardy.

**Marie Lemoine**—Somewhat similar to the above, the coloring is not quite so bright, but will also form a useful variety.

Both these are gems, and nothing is more valuable and easier to cultivate.

## HYDRANGEAS.



**Hortensia**—The well known garden variety, has immense heads of beautiful flowers; 15 cents.

**Otaksa**—Flowers large bright pink, tinged with blue; a splendid plant; 15 cents.

**Paniculata Grandiflora**—A highly ornamental shrub with enormously large, dense flower heads, opening pure white and tinted with rose in their mature bloom, flowers profusely during Summer and perfectly hardy; 20 cents. See cut.

**Thomas Hogg**—An introduction from Japan. It produces large, pure white flowers, which, on well-grown plants, measure more than 12 inches in diameter. It is quite as hardy as the other garden sorts; 15 to 25 cents.

**New Climbing Hydrangea**—It is described as clinging to trees to the height of fifty feet, producing corymbs of flowers of the size of ordinary Hydrangeas. It clings exactly like ivy, and one can imagine the effect of a wall or tree so covered while in full bloom. Perfectly hardy; 50 cents.

**Japanica Tricolor**—The strongest growing of all variegated Hydrangeas. The center of the leaf is green, broadly margined with creamy-white and flushed with pink, very valuable. 15 cts.

**Speciosa**—A remarkably fine introduction sent out by Wm. Bull, of London, England. The variegation is somewhat similar to that of the Geranium Happy Thought. The leaf is green, with a wide band of creamy-white through the center, a strong grower, and a very attractive plant for pot or garden culture. At the low price of 25 cents we expect a great demand for these extremely ornamental plants. For New Sorts see page 17.

## HEDERA, OR ENGLISH IVY.

**Helix**—For a climbing plant in the garden to do duty as a screen for an old wall or building, or to adorn either when new, we know of nothing to equal the ivy. For in-door Winter decoration it is unequalled,

as it can be trained in any desired form, and will bear any amount of hardship and bad usage. 15 cts.  
**Variegated**—Foliation like the ordinary Ivy, with bright and distinct variegations of white spots, blotches and edges; price, 10 to 25 cents each.

## HOYA.

**Carnosa, or Wax Plant**—Has thick, fleshy leaves, growing moderately fast, and bearing umbles of beautiful flesh-colored flowers, from which are exuded large drops of honey-like liquid. One of the best plants for house culture, as it stands the extremes of heat and cold better than most plants. When in bloom, which continues for upward of three months, is a most interesting plant; 15 cents.

## HELIOTROPS.

Spreading Herbaceous plants, bearing clusters of small star-shaped flowers, of the unpretentious shades of dark blue, purple and deep rose, but possessed of the most delicious fragrance. No collection of cut flowers is complete without Heliotrope, and nothing can take its place. Flowers abundantly all Summer. Plant in a warm, sunny situation, and water freely during dry weather; 10 cents.

**Coronatissimum**—Fine lilac.

**Mrs. Burgess**—Dark violet.

**Madame Blonay**—Almost white.

**Pericles**—Light blue.

**Petite Negress**—Very dark blue.

**Cherub**—Deep lilac.

**Souvenir de Nieve**—Very light.

See New Sorts, page 17.

## HIBISCUS.



Price, fine large plants, 15 cents each, unless noted.

We cordially recommend all to grow these magnificent shrubs. They bear very large, gorgeous blossoms, both single and double, make excellent Summer bedders, blooming continually under the warmest sun; and, if grown in pots, will flower well in the parlor or conservatory, the single varieties should be selected for the latter purpose.

**Aurea Variegata**—Beautiful golden foliage mingled with dark green, large crimson flowers, a splendid plant for ornament, as the foliage is handsome when the plant is not in bloom.

**Baptistii**—A most remarkable flower and exceedingly showy, crimson scarlet, the base of the petals cream color, with lines and bands of creamy white all through the flower, double, splendid novelty; 25c.

**Brilliantissima**—Large, single flowers of the richest and most brilliant crimson-scarlet, flushed with orange, the base of the petals stained deep crimson.

**Cooperii Tri-color**—A striking ornamental foliage plant, leaves white, mottled, edged and veined rose color, sometimes deep red, bright crimson, single flowers. 25 cts.

## Hibiscus—Continued.

**Cruentus**—Deep blood-red, shaded crimson, of elegant form, large and double.

**Dennisonii**—A most beautiful variety with rose-colored flowers, measuring four inches across, borne freely on upright stalks perfectly erect, instead of slightly drooping, as the other varieties of Hibiscus are; 25 cents.

**Fulgidus**—Flowers single, very large, of an intense carmine scarlet color, paler toward the base, where, on each petal, is an oblong blotch of deep crimson.

**Grandiflorus**—Glossy foliage, blooming profusely through the Summer, literally covering the plant with scarlet-crimson single flowers.

For new sorts see page 17.

## IVY-EVERGREEN.



Fine for growing in suspended baskets. The plain green variety being quite hardy, will grow well out of doors, and is valuable for covering walls. 15 cents each, except where noted.

**Canariensis**—Large plain leaf.

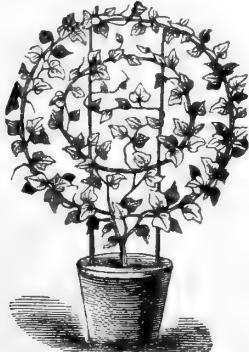
**Giant**—Similar to the foregoing, with leaves of double the size, and every way more robust.

**Maculata Augustifolia**—Neatly spotted white and green, very distinct and pretty; 20 cts.

**Maculata Aurea**—Variegated with golden yellow; 20c.

**Marginata Argentea**—Silver margin, free habit.

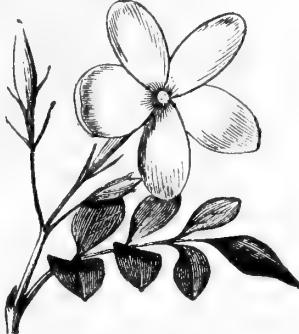
## IVY—German or Parlor.



**Mikania Scandens**—A strong growing climber, with green foliage, suitable for large baskets and vases; 10 cents each.

**Kenilworth Ivy**—A neat and delicate plant of trailing habit, with small, bright green, ivy-shaped leaves, fine for hanging baskets; 10 cents each.

## JASMINUM GRANDIFLORUM.



Known as the Catalonian Jessamine. It blooms with great freedom during Winter. The plant is handsome, with fine, glossy foliage, and grows to a large size. The flowers pure white, star-shaped, and deliciously fragrant. A great favorite and a beautiful plant. 15 cts. See cut.

## DWARF LANTANAS.



The introduction of a dwarfer class of Lantanas has greatly increased their popularity in the last two or three years, and they are now freely used as bedding

## Lantanas—Continued.

plants. Being healthy, free from insects, and flourishing under the hottest sun, they are among the most serviceable plants for this purpose; 15 cts.

**California**—Very dwarf, seldom growing more than six or eight inches high; flowers dark, rich yellow, completely covering the plant, splendid for edgings.

**Diademe**—Rose color, sometimes shaded with yellow in the center, delicate and distinct.

**Globe d' Or**—Very dwarf, brilliant orange yellow, distinct. A fine new yellow.

**Golconda**—Saffron, changing to soft orange, very distinct.

**Innocence**—Dwarf, light sulphur, changing to pure white.

**Jacques Minot**—Buds red, orange yellow when open, changing to bright orange, a free bloomer, and magnificent bedder.

**MacMahon**—Buds purplish red, when open flowers are brilliant orange-red, a rather dwarf but compact grower.

**M. Schmidt**—Bright yellow and brown red.

**Phosphore**—Very dark yellow, the deepest of its color.

**Reine des Fleurs**—Yellow, changing first to orange and then to light purplish crimson, excellent grower.

**Reveil**—A magnificent Lantana, the finest light variety grown. White with large florets.

**Ver Luisant**—Very brilliant yellow; free and rather dwarf.

**Alba Grandiflora**—White, yellow center.

**Climbing Lantana**—Deep lilac.

**Delicatissima**—A creeping variety, flowers lilac.

**Dan Calmut**—Orange, very fine.

**Fulgens Multabilis**—Changeable.

**Grand Sultan**—Purple and yellow.

**Harkett's Perfection**—Foliage beautifully variegated with clear yellow.

**Lenian**—Orange and carmine.

**Queen Victoria**—White, orange center.

## LAURESTINUS.

A small, elegant, evergreen shrub, with an abundance of white flowers in flat compound cymes, valuable for Winter decoration; 20 cents each.

## LOBELIAS.



Charming little plants, growing six inches high, and producing a profusion of blue and white flowers all the season. They can be used either for the margin of beds or for vases, baskets or rock-work; and if lifted in the Fall, will make nice plants for a window garden in the Winter; 10 cents each, 3 for 25 cents.

## LILIES.

These beautiful plants are becoming more popular as their merits become more widely known. No garden should be without a collection of these beautiful and interesting flowers; they are perfectly hardy and of the easiest culture, and many of the varieties are possessed of the most delicious fragrance. They are admirably adapted for pot-culture and bedding, or for the decoration of the house or conservatory.

**Auratum**—The Golden-Rayed Japanese Lily. This gorgeously beautiful plant, now so well known, we think needs no description; 50 cts. See cut.



Auratum.

**Canadense**—Pale orange, brown spots, drooping flower; 30 cts.

**Candidum**—Large white Lily, very fragrant; 20 cts.

**Candidum Pleno**—A double variety of the above; 40c.

**Exclusum**—The stately form, beauty of color, and delightful fragrance has made this Lily, wherever known, a great favorite. It is crowned with from six to twelve nodding flowers of delicate buff color; 75 cts.

**Lancifolium Album**—White; 50 cts.

**Roseum**—White, spotted rose; 25 cts.

**Rubrum**—White, spotted red; 25 cts.

**Longiflorum**—Large and beautiful, snow white, trumpet shaped flowers, fragrant; 20 cts.

**Superbum**—Yellow and red; a native species, rarely met in our gardens, but very popular in Europe; beautiful pyramid of scarlet flowers, spotted with brown; 40 cts.

**Tigrinum Flora Pleno**—A plant of most vigorous, stately habit, bearing a large number of very double, bright, orange-red flowers, spotted with black; 25c.

## LILUM LONGIFLORUM FLORABUNDA.

The great value of this Lily consists in its earliness and free-blooming qualities and the superiority of the individual flower. The flowers are larger than those of *Lilium Longiflorum*, and the curled points of the petals give it additional beauty. Color pure white and very fragrant; 50c., 75c. and \$1 each, according to size of bulbs.

## LONICERA, Honeysuckle.

Price, 15 cents each.

The Honeysuckle is too well known to require any description. We offer three choice varieties.

**European Sweet Scented**—A fine grower, flowers large and exceedingly sweet.

**Golden Leaved**—Leaves abundantly veined and netted with clear yellow.

**Halliana**—A vigorous evergreen sort, with pure white flowers, changing to yellow, very fragrant.

## MAHERNIA ODORATA.

Neat green-house plant, of spreading habit, blooms early in the Spring, flowers yellow, bell-shaped and very fragrant; price, 10 cents.

**MYRSIPHYLLUM ASPARAGOIDES, Smilax.**

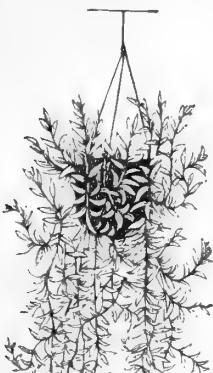


There is no climbing plant in cultivation that surpasses this in the graceful beauty of its foliage, and its peculiar waxy formation renders it one of the most valuable plants for vases or hanging baskets, as it can be used either to climb or to droop, as required; price, 15 to 25 cents each, according to size.

**MUSK PLANT, Mimulus Moschatus.**

An old favorite, the pleasing fragrance of which is too well known and too much admired to require to be extolled; price, 15 cents.

**OTHONNA CRASSIFOLIA.**



This interesting plant has a creeping habit, much in the way of some of the Sedums; the fleshy leaves vary in form from globular to long, with rounded ends, and are of cheerful light green. The flowers are round, flat, about one-fourth of an inch across, bright yellow and borne profusely. For hanging baskets, for forming a green carpet beneath shrubs or trees, or between the plants in window-boxes, it is unsurpassed. Price, 10 cents. See cut.

**OLEANDERS, Neriums.**

It is but recently that we have had much variety in this useful class of plants, but within the last year or two the French florists have given us a number of new sorts differing widely from the old varieties, both in the shape and color of the flowers.

**Atropurpureum Plenum**—Large, very double, dark purple flowers, rich color, very fine; 35 cents.

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**Gloriosum**—Brilliant carmine-pink flowers, very double, showy and desirable; 35 cents.  
**Jean d'Arc**—Pure white, double; 50 cents.  
**Lutea**—Single yellow, free flowering; 35 cents.  
**Madoni Grandiflora**—Beautiful double pure white flowers, strong habit, ad extra fine variety; 25 cts.  
**Rosea Splendens**—Large, double, rose-colored flowers; 25 cents.

**OXALIS.**

Bulbous-rooted, Winter and Spring-blooming dwarf plants, very showy, the yellow and pink varieties are the best; 10 cents.

For New Sorts see page 17.

**PANSIES.**

This class of plants can hardly be over-estimated. Commencing as they do early in the Spring, when the garden is nearly bare of flowers, and again in the Autumn after everything is gone, they are truly indispensable. They have an almost unlimited range of color, from nearly jet black through all the intermediate colors of yellow and blue to pure white, and their markings are as varied as the colors themselves, hardly any two being marked alike. Our strain of these beautiful flowers is unsurpassed. Last season we had a large number planted out from which to save seed, and some of our home patrons became real angry when we refused to sell any of these plants.

10 cents each, 75 cents per doz.

**PASSIFLORA, Passion Flower.**

Price, 15 cents.



Very handsome climbing plants, growing rapidly and blooming freely. **P. Cœrulea** and **Incarnata** are hardy; the other sorts require protection in Winter.

**Alata**—Pale blue, crimson cup.  
**Alba**—White Passion Flower, a green-house climber.  
**Arc-en-Ciel**—Very large flowers, raised part pure white, center citron colored, outer circle dark, inner circle white, shading to blue.  
**Buist's Hardy**—Blue, abundant bloomer.  
**Cœrulea**—Blue, hardy with protection.  
**Decaisneana**—Blue, red cup.  
**Incarnata**—Perfectly hardy, blue flowers, free flowering.  
**Pfordtii**—Purple.  
**Smithii**—A variety with pinkish red flowers; 25 cents.

**PERISTROPHE, Augustifolia Variegata.**

A beautiful variegated plant, well adapted for hanging-baskets or ribbon lines in bedding; it forms a compact bush six inches high and a foot in diameter. The leaves are beautifully marked with golden yellow and green, the yellow predominating; 10 cts.; \$1.00 per dozen.

**PEPEROMIA.**

Petty dwarf-growing plants, requiring partial shade and moisture, suitable for baskets and wardian cases; price, 15 cents each.

**Maculosa**—A charming foliage plant from Brazil; leaves waxy, with bright green ribs for veins, the intervening spaces white.

**PLUMBAGO\_CAPENSIS.**

A showy herbaceous plant, producing large trusses of pretty blue flowers, a color which, being comparatively scarce, ought to insure for them a place in every collection; 15 cents.

**POINSETTIA.**

**Pulcherrima**—A plant of great beauty, producing bracts or leaves that surround the flowers one foot in diameter on well grown specimens, of the most dazzling scarlet. It blooms from November to February; price, according to size, 20 to 50 cents.

**Plenissima**—A new double Poinsettia. Very brilliant scarlet, tinted with orange; a dazzling color. The head on a specimen plant grows 14 inches in diameter by 10 inches in depth, giving it the appearance of a cone of fire; 30 cents to \$1.00.

**PILEA, Muscosa.**

A plant of graceful habit, resembling a Fern in general appearance. It is literally covered with small flowers the entire season; a fine basket plant; 10 cts.

**POMEGRANATE, Jas. Vick.**



A dwarf, free-flowering variety, blooming while very small and remarkably profuse when older, flowers brilliant orange scarlet, very desirable for bedding out in Summer, and also for blooming in Winter; price, 20 cents each. See cut.

**PRIMROSE, Chinese.**

Few house plants afford better satisfaction than this.

**PRIMROSE, Chinese, Single, Red and White.**

One of the finest winter-blooming plants, the single varieties blooming more profusely than the double sorts, and of easier culture; they are especially adapted for window-gardening, giving an abundance of blooms during the Winter months. Care should be taken, however, not to keep them too wet; price, 15 cents each.

**PRIMROSE, Double Chinese.**

A choice, double-white and very profuse winter-blooming plant, must be kept cool during the Summer; in open air it does the best; price, 35 cents to \$1.00 each.

**PETUNIAS.**

Price, 20 cents each.



These beautiful flowers are universal favorites; they make handsome window plants, flowering in early Spring, and in open ground bloom all Summer. The flowers are very large and of various colors, blotched and variegated. We have a large stock in all colors. See cut.

**Acme**—Clear white, distinctly spotted and blotched with maroon, very novel and pretty, dwarf, full double, fringed.

**Admiration**—White, fringed purple, very large, fine and full.

**American Belle**—A splendid variety, color white, distinctly spotted and blotched crimson; one of the finest.

**Bonny Doon**—Large flowers, blotched and spotted with purple and white.

**Charm**—Extra large, amaranth-purple, blotched white, fringed, extra.

**Charmer**—A beautifully spotted and blotched variety, odd and attractive.

**Coquette**—Light crimson, blotched, very large, full flowers.

**Crimson King**—Rich crimson, blotched and spotted, flowers very large and full.

**Eclipse**—Deep maroon, nicely spotted, fine flower.

**Felix**—Very large and double; white, blotched and striped with carmine, extra.

**Imogene**—Very fine flowers, purplish-crimson, fringed white.

**Mrs Edward Roby**—Color crimson-maroon, edged pure white, fringed, fine.

**Model of Perfection**—Maroon, edged with pure white, full and double, fringed.

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SALVIAS.

**Snowball**—Pure white, very large and full, a free bloomer.

**Striata Perfecta**—White, with purple stripe through center of each petal.

**Superba**—Deep crimson, flowers very large, double, full and well formed.

For New Sorts see page 17.

## PHLOX, Hardy Herbaceous.

15 cents each; the set of twelve for \$1.25.

The beauty of the Phlox is not yet sufficiently known and esteemed. For their brilliant trusses of flowers, comprising all shades of color from white to crimson, striped and mottled, they have few if any superiors among hardy perennial plants.

**Augusta Revere**—Salmon red, dark eye, large.

**Auriel Duritz**—White, carmine eye.

**Cross of Honor**—Striped variety, color a beautiful rosy mauve, each petal regularly marked with white; 20 cents.

**La Coeur de Mond**—Very large lilac, dark eye.

**Liberte**—Large white, very dwarf.

**Madame Moisette**—Rose-red, crimson center.

**Madame Durenne**—White, center purple.

**Mons. H. Low**—Large, rosy crimson.

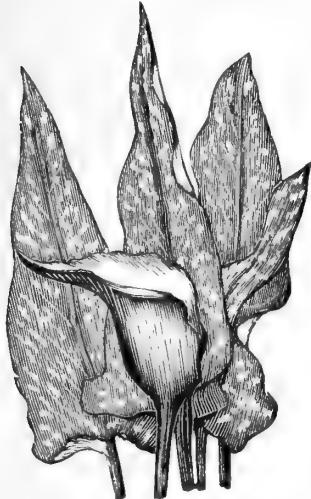
**Mons. Taillard**—Rich salmon, dark eye.

**Pelletan**—Rosy-white, with carmine center.

**Regulus**—Rich salmon, dark red eye.

**Victor Hugo**—White, pink eye.

## RICHARDIA ALBA MACULATA.



A plant belonging to the same order as the Calla *Ethiopica*, with beautifully spotted leaves. It flowers abundantly during the Summer months, planted out in the open border. The flowers are shaped like those of the Calla, and are pure white, shaded with violet inside. It is a deciduous plant, kept dry in Winter and started in Spring, like the Dahlia; 15 to 50c. each.

## STEVIA.

White Winter-blooming plants of great value; vigorous growth and free flowering; 10 cts.

**Campacta**—Snowy white flowers, early bloomer.

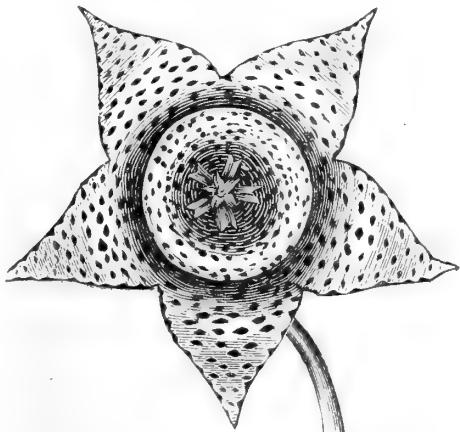
**Serrata Variegata**—Leaves edged with white. This is one of the most effective ribbon-bedding plants adapted to our climate; it can be trained to any height by pinching; and for inside of Coleus beds it is very effective when bedded in full sun, then the color is nearly white.

Valuable for Fall flowering, growing from two to four feet in height, each branch producing a long raceme of bright flowers. They prefer a light, rich soil. Grown in pots, they make fine plants for Fall decoration; 10 cts.

**Gordoni**—A dwarf growing variety, producing fine large flowers of a dazzling red color, extremely attractive.

**Splendens**—One of the finest of Fall blooming plants, being completely covered in Autumn with long spikes of dazzling scarlet flowers, remaining in bloom until cut down by frost.

## STAPELIA SERPENTINA.



A curious plant of low, spreading growth, resembling a Cactus; flowers star-shaped, yellow, spotted brown; 15 cts.

**SEDMUM CARNEUM.**

This splendid plant is now in great demand for carpet bedding and for borders as well as for hanging baskets. The foliage is variegated, white, yellow and green, with flowers beautiful rose color; 20 cts.

**TUBEROSE.**



The Tuberose is a beautiful, pure white, wax-like, very sweet scented, double flower, growing on tall stems, each stem bearing a dozen or more flowers. Those who want this beautiful flower in the early

40 Winter can plant a few bulbs in pots in July and August, sink them to the rim in earth in the garden, where they can remain until the cool nights of Autumn, to be then removed to the house. Our Tuberoses are of our own growing, and very splendid bulbs, and not one in a hundred will fail to flower.

**New Dwarf Tuberose, "Pearl"**—Is so grand an improvement on the common variety that we now grow only the Pearl, which we offer at the price of the old sort; 10 cents each, \$1 per doz.

**TRADESCANTIA.**

The four varieties named below are very pretty for hanging baskets; they are all rapid growth and delight in a warm situation. Price, 10 cents each. See cut.

**Multicolor.**—Nearly every one is acquainted with the Old Zebrina. The one now offered is most beautifully variegated purple, scarlet and white.

**Repens Vittata**—Bright green, striped white.

**Vulgaris**—Bright, scarlet and white.

**Zebrina**—Leaves striped with silvery white on a dark ground. See cut.

**TROPOEOLUM, Double Yellow.**

Color yellow, with deep maroon blotch at the base of each petal. Habit exceedingly vigorous and producing abundance of flowers all the year; 15 cts.

**VERBENAS.**

Few plants present so many attractions as the Verbena, and but few merit the favor it has received. Its rapid growth and rich pleasing flowers have rendered it a favorite everywhere. Its creeping habit makes it especially suitable as a bedding plant. Plant in a rich, moist soil, and be sure to water in very dry weather. The plants may be made to spread rapidly by pruning them down at the points. Twelve distinct varieties for 75 cents, or 20 for \$1.00.

**VIOLETS.**

**Belle de Chatenay**—Flowers large, very double, petals well set, and arranged like a double Camelia flower, pure white.

**Marie Louise**—The sweetest and most beautiful double violet in cultivation, of large size, a rich dark blue, lilac center.

**Neapolitan**—Double blue, very fragrant.

**Princess Louise**—Fine double white, very fragrant, 10 cents each. For New Sorts see Novelties, page 17.

**VITIS HETEROPHYLLA.**

This hardy vine is of the easiest culture, the leaves are beautifully variegated green and white; in the Fall it bears clusters of purple berries; 15 cts.



Tradescantia.



**New Brighton Daily News, June 26,  
1884.**

Mr. F. W. Beach, late of Woods, Beach & Co. of this place, leaves for Richmond, Ind, this evening at 6:30 to establish an extensive floral establishment in the latter city. Mr. Beach was formerly a Richmond boy and came to our town some three years ago to take charge of the Hillside greenhouses. So thorough was he as a workman and business man that he had not been in the place one year till his name was linked in the firm and under his superintendence the business grew to be a prosperous and paying concern. We very much regret to see Mr. Beach leave our town, for although in our midst but three short years he has earned a reputation among our business men of being one of the most thorough going, honest and energetic young businessmen that we have ever had, and while his going will be a loss much to be regretted by our citizens, yet the citizens of Richmond will gladly welcome him back to his old home. Success go with him is our wish and the wish of our whole town.

# Notices From Our Home Press.

We give below a few of the many notices given us by our city press of late dates.

## DAILY INDEPENDENT, NOVEMBER 6, 1884.

"Among the institutions of beauty and usefulness in our city may be classed one, as yet little known, but growing in popularity very rapidly. We refer to the firm of Beach & Co., at No. 901 South 9th Street. Although they have been established but a few months, they have an assortment equal to many who have been in the business for years. Their assortment of roses and other plants, is among the finest we have ever seen, and we predict that a short time they will vie with the older competitors for the floral trade of this city and surrounding country."

## RICHMOND TELEGRAM, NOVEMBER 6, 1884.

"DECIDEDLY PROLIFIC." The vast difference between knowing how and not knowing; and between doing and not doing, as well as condescending to know, was never more manifest to us than on a recent visit to Beach & Co.'s new greenhouses, at No. 901 South Ninth street. The comparison of our own experience in growing flowers and other flowers and plants with the results there obtained by a man of great knowledge and skill in horticulture, almost puts us to the blush; and, be it remembered, it takes some doing to soil us a newspaper man's cheeks with blushes. We happened to be in at the pruning of their stock at these new greenhouses, and the present state of its growth when it stood in its "culminating condition" of our "young hopefuls" of the floral kingdom, being surprised at the prolific growth of weeds in the garden, when we were a boy and had to do the weeding at the fearful cost of valuable time, we would have much rather devoted to ourselves going fishing and spinning tops. In brief, we were surprised to find everything pertaining to the business in such perfect running order, and were their far-off patrons, as well as our own townspeople, to take a tour through their extensive range of greenhouses, they would come out convinced that, although time is fleeting and they have had but a comparatively little of it in which to prepare for the winter's trade, they have an abundance of stock, including much that is rare, while all is very healthy and thrifty; and their roses are especially beautiful. As to the general variety of their stock, we will refer our readers to their catalogue for 1885, which is now under way, and will be issued about the first of January. In conclusion, we will venture the prediction that their business will be as prolific as their production of stock, for they are experienced in business as well as floriculture."

## RICHMOND DAILY PALLADIUM, NOVEMBER 3, 1884.

"Among the many institutions of merit of which this city is so justly proud, may be numbered that of Beach & Co., florists, of 901 South Ninth street. This firm came here from Pennsylvania last spring, and although in our city but a short time, they have one of the best arranged and finest built greenhouses that we have ever seen. Their houses are crowded to their utmost capacity with a stock of roses and other plants that for health and vigor cannot be surpassed anywhere. Mr. Beach was formerly a Richmond man, and is well known as one of the best propagators in this country, and judging from the fullness of their houses and health of the stock, we should say that their far-off patrons, as well as our home people, will fare well by sending their orders to this enterprising firm. Their catalogue for 1885 is now in press, and will be the finest they have ever issued.

## NEW BRIGHTON POST OFFICE, NEW BRIGHTON, PA., OCT. 7, 1884.

*F. W. Beach, Esq., Richmond, Ind.*

DEAR SIR: I noticed in a Richmond paper a complimentary notice of the new firm of Beach & Co., and I wish to congratulate you upon your prospects of success in your new enterprise. You certainly deserve success for your energy, thorough knowledge of your business, and for your integrity as a man. I feel that you will have success in any of your undertakings; at least, that is my wish. Yours truly W. B. CUMBERSTON, P. M.



# An Unparalleled Offer!

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In order to induce those answering our advertisements, and who have never patronized us, to try at least a few of our "beautiful flowers," we make the following liberal offer, which we believe to be the most liberal ever made, considering the size and quality of our stock. We will deliver these collections at your Post Office, free of postage, and guarantee them to reach you in good growing condition. For descriptions and varieties see body of Catalogue. Before sending orders see our suggestions to purchasers, "How to order." The selection of sorts will be strictly our own—we will send all different sorts. Persons ordering may mention sorts they have or do not wish sent, and their requests will be complied with.

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**WILL BUY**  
**14 GERANIUMS, or**  
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**14 BEGONIAS, or**  
**14 BASKET PLANTS, or**  
**14 HELIOTROPES, or**  
**14 VINES, or**  
**14 ABUTILONS, or**  
**14 VERBENAS.**

Persons so desiring may order one each of the above collections, or 14 plants from the above collections as they may desire, but the selection of varieties must be ours.

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## **OUR \$1 BOX.**

We have prepared a beautiful collection of fifteen plants which we send free by mail for one dollar. This selection is composed of nothing but valuable and desirable plants. TRY IT.

**What more can we say or do to induce you to try a few of our Plants?**

**BEACH & CO.,**

*Rose Growers and Florists,*

**RICHMOND, IND.**

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